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National Ticket.

For President,

BENJAMIN HARRISON,

of Indiana.

For Vice President,

LEVI P. MORTON,

of New York.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE,

JAMES T. MITCHELL, OF PHILADELPHIA

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS,

AT LARGE—LEWIS PUGHE.....LACKAWANNA.
THOMAS DOLAN...PHILADELPHIA.

1 John H. Taggart.	15 John H. Grant.
2 John Wannamaker.	16 Wilson C. Kress.
3 Robert P. John.	17 David W. Clark.
4 Wm. C. Hamilton.	18 G. W. Hutchinson.
5 John S. McKinley.	19 John C. Lower.
6 Jos. R. T. Coats.	20 Jeremiah K. Miller.
7 William S. Ellis.	21 George J. Elliott.
8 Edgar Pinchot.	22 Harry S. Paul.
9 Samuel L. Kurtz.	23 George Shirck, Jr.
10 Not Reported.	24 P. S. Newye.
11 William Connell.	25 John W. Wallace.
12 Wm G. Payne.	26 J. C. Sturtevant.
13 Peter E. Buck.	57 Joseph Thos. Jones.
16 Henry M. Bechtel.	28 L. M. Truxal.

EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

ENFORCE all the laws, even if some of them do seem absurd. If the laws are not proper repeal them.

TEN millions of dollars is the sum which the English manufacturers will contribute to the Democratic campaign fund.

THE Republicans say they agreed to confirm Fuller for chief justice merely to prevent the appointment of a more objectionable person

AGAIN this year Sunday trains were run to Wayne station camp meeting. This alone was sufficient to off-set all the benefit of the camp.

"BETTERMENT" is a word the city papers seem very fond of using of late. It is a very awkward word. We prefer the word improvement.

IF Herr Most can be mixed up in the Chicago dynamite plot and that loud-mouthed individual be hanged the plot will be a blessing in disguise.

THE "Star mill," owned by Williams & Forsman and B. C. Bowman & Company, in Williamsport, was burned on Saturday night. Loss $40,000.

THE San Francisco savings banks show a total deposit of $66,000,000, an increase in eight years of $25,000,000, and a striking proof that California labor is not exactly out of pocket.

WILHELMINA RHOADS, a young lady who lived in Williamsport, but was temporarily in Kirkbride's Asylum, West Philadelphia, committed suicide on Friday by hanging herself to a bureau.

HUNDREDS (too numerous to mention) of citizens of New York State, heretofore reliable Democrats, say they will vote for Harrison. One such recent flopper is Mr. Alexander Apgar, an extensive paper dealer in New York City.

CONGRESSMAN CAMPBELL (Dem.) who voted for the Mills bill represents the counties of Butler, Clermont, Greene and Warren. He acknowledges that the bill "means a long step directly towards free trade, because it puts many of our leading productions on the free list."

THE first half of the baseball season is now over. The three leading clubs are only a few games apart, and even the fourth and fifth still have a chance to win the pennant. As things look now, however, the race lies between Chicago, Detroit and New York. These three are not only in the lead, but are playing the best game.

MONEY talks. Yesterday in New York a bet of $6,000 to $5,000 that Harrison would beat Cleveland was made. Only a week ago the Democratic papers were gloating over the fact that in election pools Cleveland was having largely the preference. What will they say now? The character of the bet is particularly worthy of note because it registers the opinion of the gambling element, which is usually credited with great shrewdness in such matters.

IT seems that of the 371,619 steerage passengers landed at Castle Garden last year, 151,023 remained in New York. In the language of Artemus Ward, "this is 2 mutch." How long? How long? The Congressional investigation, ordered to begin this week, will have a big job on hand, and it cannot be too vigorous or energetic. We have allowed this country to be the dumping place for the paupers, criminals and outcasts of the Old World far too long.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, July 30, 1888.

Senator Wilson, of Iowa, from the committee on education and labor, has reported favorably to the Senate the House bill creating boards of arbitration for settling controversies between railroads and their employes.

Representative Dingley, of Maine has introduced a bill in the House providing for tolls upon Canadian vessels passing through St. Mary's and St. Clair Flats canals, in case of discrimination on Canadian canals against our vessels or ports.

Mr. Randall was well enough to be removed to Pennsylvania Saturday.

The Senate, by a very decisive vote, refused to prohibit the use of steam plate printing machines in the Bureau, of Engraving and Printing.

So certain are the democrats of the rejection of the fisheries treaty, that Senator Morgan, of Alabama, in making a speech in favor of the treaty, advised Cleveland to withdraw it until after the election, in order to prevent the republicans from using it as campaign material. This was a very significant suggestion, but Cleveland will hardly dare to act upon it, however much he might wish to do so. The more the treaty is debated, the worse the administration appears. Republican Senators will endeavor to push it to a vote this week.

There never was such a demand for tariff documents from all over the country as at present. The republican Congressional committee, which will have the preparation of all republican documents, have opened their headquarters here, and will shortly be prepared to fill all demands.

The whiskey trust has been undergoing an investigation for several days. Nothing startling has so far been discovered.

A funny sort of a fairy story has been gotten up by an agent of the Treasury department. He claims that he knews of many millions of dollars worth of property, which belonged to the late Confederate states government, in Europe, and in this country, which is at present in such a shape that much of it may be recovered by the United States. He goes into particulars, and furnishes a catalogue of vessels, machinery, real estate, and cash. He was formerly in the employ of the rebel government.

Chief Justice Fuller has been here for several days.

It is thought here that ex-Senator Mahone will be returned to Congress from the Fourth Virginia district.

Representative Burrows, of Michigan, is working like a steam engine to get the Department Pension bill up in the House. He refuses to allow unanimous consent to be given for any resolution setting days for the consideration of any special measures, unless a provision is included setting aside a day for the consideration of the Dependent Pension bill. The action of Mr. Burrows is creating almost a panic among the democratic members. If the dependant pension bill ever comes to a vote, it is sure to pass, as a large number of the democrats are afraid to vote against it, but they hope by underhanded tactics to prevent its getting before the House.

Cleveland is always prating about the duties of his position, etc., and yet last Thursday, with quite a number of important bills awaiting his action, he ran off to New York to go on a yachting trip, without saying a word to anyone. If he does not return to-morrow several branches of the Government will have to come to a stand-still for lack of appropriations, as, the joint resolution extending the old ones 50 days, expires to-day. A new extension of 50 days has been passed by Congress, but cannot go into effect until it receives his signature.

There is a report here which is believed by many, that after the election Cleveland is to fire Black out of the Pension Office. Black says there is no truth in it, but then he would not be likely to know.

The republican Senators have fully determined to report a tariff bill as a substitute for the Mills bill. It is expected that it will be ready in about two weeks. It is thought that the principal reductions will be on sugar and tobacco.

Senator Hiscock has introduced a bill to pension all persons who served three months in the United States army or navy during the rebellion.

Cleveland was in a big hurry to get off Thursday, but he stopped long enough to veto a private pension bill.

Senator Palmer, of Michigan, has written a letter declining to be a candidate for re-election.

GENUINE TEMPERANCE.

The W. C. T. U. is, or at least should be, even more progressive than the Republican party on the subject of removing the tax from whiskey. The Republican party will do this only as a last resort. The W. C. T. U., through its President, Miss Frances E. Willard, expressed an opinion on this question as follows:

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union has desired this long and earnestly. Our earliest resolution was adopted without a dissenting voice at the national convention in Louisville, 1882, and reads as follows;

"The Woman's Christian Temperance Union desires to express its earnest sympathy with the movement favoring the total abolition of the internal revenue taxes on all alcoholic beverages at present collected by the national Government, as we believe that the taxation of this business is wrong in principle, an outrage on the moral sentiment of the country, a quasi endorsement of a pernicious traffic, a legalizing, so far as the national Government can, of a business that is the source of most of our crime and poverty, and a great hindrance in the way of the removal of the traffic and its attendant evils out of the land.

"We further believe that this revenue is not needed by the Government and that the large surplus that it brings into the Treasury is a standing menace to honesty and a fruitful source of, if not an invitation to, corruption. For these reasons we earnestly urge the abolition of these taxes, and we invite the co-operation of all classes to this end. It is hereby ordered that a copy of the above, properly signed by the President and Secretary of this Convention, be forwarded to Congress, and that copies be furnished organizations in the country interested, with a request that they co-operate with us in this matter."

Our latest resolution on this subject was unanimously adopted at the Nashville convention in November, 1887, all of the states excepting Nevada and five of the territories being represented;

Resolved, That we advocate the abolition of the internal revenue on alcoholic liquors for the reason that it operates to render more difficult the securing and enforcement of prohibitory laws and so postpones the day of national deliverance.

In my annual address before this Convention the following passage occurs:

I hope we shall distinctly declare ourselves in favor of removing the internal revenue tax from all intoxicating liquors. It is a covenant with hell and a compact with damnation. To-day it stands as the strongest bulwark between the liquor traffic and annihilation. We want no monopolies in sin, least of all that the national Government should be the largest stockholder, getting ninety cents on every gallon of whisky and ninety-three cents, in round numbers, on every keg of beer. The amount of tax is about equal to the annual surplus in the United States Treasury; let both be wiped out together. I hope this may be one of our campaign battle-cries: "Down with the tax that ties the nation tight to the vampire that is sucking out its blood."

THE REPUBLICAN FOR THE CAMPAIGN, NEARLY FIVE MONTHS FOR 25 CENTS.

BOSS WATTERSON.

THAT great Democratic leader and expounder of Democratic doctrine, Henry Watterson, says:

"The Democratic party, except in the persons of imbeciles hardly worth mentioning, is not on the fence. It is a Free Trade party or it is nothing."

Certainly. There is no dispute on that point among intelligent people. And those little Democratic editors, so-called, and ward politicians, who are all the time vociferously denying what Mr. Watterson says, should take him to task for calling them imbeciles, unless they inwardly feel that he is telling the frozen truth

Twenty five cents gets the REPUBLICAN for the campaign. See grand offer on another page.

THE name of Mr. C. T. Fryberger, of Philipsburg, as a Republican candidate for the Legislature, seems to be received everywhere in the county with great favor. We believe Mr. Fryberger will be the candidate.

Campaign REPUBLICAN only 25 cents.

THE RECORD MADE.

Mr. Mills closed the long tariff debate in one of his characteristic speeches, after which the vote was taken on the final passage of the bill, when it passed the House, by a vote of 162 yeas to 149 nays, a free trade majority of 13. The Democratic party has thus, through the efforts of President Cleveland, and the Southern members, who represent few if any manufacturing constituencies, been forced to place itself on record in favor of this entering wedge of free trade. Chairman Mills tried hard to ridicule the idea that he was driving at free trade, but an intelligent country, which has watched the debate on the question and heard the expressions of Democratic leaders, know full well what this action of the House means. It is not immediate free trade, but it is a firm step in that direction. It is free trade in many articles of American manufacture and should the bill become a law would close up many of our industries. It is free trade in wool, one of our leading American industries. It was as far as the free traders had dare to go at present and all the power of the administration had to be exercised to drive the party to this position. The attempt to hide the design of the free traders behind the cry of free whisky is silly and will not blind the eyes of intelligent people. The issue is made up and is clear. As Watterson said, the "Democracy is for free trade or it is for nothing." Let the fight go to the people and they will render their verdict in November.

REDUCTION OF WAGES.

If you vote for Cleveland your vote means that you want just as low wages here as is paid in any country in England. Working men of America, are you willing to reduce your own wages to the level of the pauper labor of Europe? If you vote for Cleveland you will not only reduce your own wages to that level but the wages of all your fellow workingmen.

That this is what Cleveland in his message virtually recommends is proven by the remarks made by Democratic Congressman Mills, the President's mouth piece, which we quote as follows:

"In order to reach the greatest number of people you must produce at the lowest possible cost; because the man that produces lower than you will drive you out of the race. If you can produce an article at a lower cost than any other person in the world, then you dominate the market."

When we are able to "dominate the market," as Cleveland desires to do, then the wages of labor must of necessity be under the European wages. We don't believe the working men of this country are foolish enough to impoverish themselves for the benefit of foreign nations and democratic political boodlers.

THE MILLS TARIFF BILL.

The Mills Bill, if passed by the Senate, will throw out of employment or reduce the wages in this country of over two hundred thousand men now employed. Is it wise to transfer the wages of these people to the arristocracy of Europe? Is it honest to reduce the wages in this country to the plane of overcrowded Europe? Would it not affect every industry unfavorably? It is a self evident fact that our wage earners cannot receive $10 per week in this country when the same class of operatives in Europe are only receiving from $3 to $4.80 per week, without the aid of a protective tariff. A tariff law that is hailed with delight by the European manufacturer, as the Mills bill, cannot be for the best interests of our own wage workers. These being bottom truths can any class of wage earners afford to support Cleveland? The bill has passed the lower House of Congress and the country calls upon the Republican Senate to put its veto on such an infamous measure.

IF the present popularity of the two principal Presidential candidates furnishes a proper criterion by which to judge, Gen. Harrison far surpasses Mr. Cleveland. The former is thronged with visitors every day and cannot do anything except receive visitors and reply to their enthusiastic greetings. Poor Cleveland is permitted to go fishing and pursue any other amusement which suits his special and exclusive task. No one seems to care or concern themselves in the least about him.

IN Chicago one of the consequences of the Mills bill has been the failure of the great wool house of Hall Brothers. The war on the wool interest had previously weakened the house, and it went to the wall under the blow dealt by the passage of the Mills bill through the House.

A FEW PLAIN QUESTIONS.

If Free Trade is a good thing for the wool industry, why did the Montana Wool Growers' Association last Wednesday condemn the Democratic wool policy?

Why did Cleveland retain Sparks in office three years in opposition to the wishes and interests of every man West of the Mississippi River?

Why did he appoint rebel brigadiers and secession sympathizers and copperheads to most of the foreign and home offices within his gift?

Why does he favor a fisheries treaty which is altogether in the interest of the Canadian fishermen?

Why did he express horror at the eligibility of a President to a second term and lay wires and pull them for a renomination?

Why did he promise civil service reform and then contemptuously refuse to fulfill the promise and appoint 70,000 incompetent and inexperienced men to office?

Why does he advocate Free Trade in the interest of Great Britain when he knows that its adoption would pauperize the American people and degrade the American workingman to the level of a machine?

If he opposese Chinese immigration why does he not also oppose the free importation of the product of Chinese cheap labor?

1840—THE SAME NOW—1888.

From the Harrison Almanac, 1841.

WHO WILL VOTE THE VAN BUREN TICKET?

All who wish to have property of every description reduced to one-half or one-third its former value.

All who wish to see the price of labor reduced to a level with that paid in Europe.

All who wish to have the son of a man without property remain poor forever.

All such as prefer the interests of the office-holders to the interests of the people.

WHO WILL VOTE FOR THE HARRISON TICKET?

All who wish for an improvement in the financial and business condition of the country.

All who wish to have property stand at its fair value, and labor receive its just recompense.

All who believe that the condition of our workingmen has been better than that of the workingmen of Europe, and who wish to have it remain so.

All such as prefer the interests of the people to that of the office-holders.

DEMOCRATS LOVE FOR THE SOLDIER

The Solid South is running this government and whenever a pension bill is brought before the House the democratic members from the South oppose it. On Friday of last week in the House while the bill appropriating $25,000 to aid state soldiers' homes was under discussion, Mr Kilgore, democrat, of Texas, speaking against the bill, said that it was the duty of the government to care for its own paupers. Mr. Spinola, of New York, replied as follows: "The brave men who took the field to save the Union, the men who marched, bivouaced and fought for the flag of the country, have been branded as paupers by the gentleman from Texas. I hurl the assertion back into the throat from which it emanated. No man shall stand in his place on this floor, and brand the Northern soldier as a pauper without my resenting it."

THE cremation of the body of the late Courtlandt Palmer would a few years ago have been an event that would have attracted attention and caused discussion throughout the country. But, so frequently has this process of disposing of the remains of the dead been employed in the United States in the past eleven years, since the body of Palm was cremated in the Lemoyne furnace at Washingtdn, in this State, that the operation is now regarded as an every day affair. Every year the number of men and women who order their codies after death to be reduced to ashes in the furnace is becoming greater. Any one may do this now without exciting any particular interest beyond the circle of his family and friends.

IF the foreign press should now change its tone and deplore the fact that the Democrats favor free trade don't be deceived by it. They have been informed that their party praise of Cleveland and his party is likely to defeat the Democrats and they will probably talk differently in the future, at least until after the election.

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GENERAL NOTES.

Queretaro, Mex., has had rain for 27 consecutive days.

There are 900 miles of railway in operation in Egypt.

Three-fourths of England's export of tinplate comes to America.

The mouse pest in Australia is much worse than the rabbit pest.

A New Haven artist has painted a $1 bill so realistically that he got $900 for the picture.

A novelty is rifle targets is a glass ball dancing on a jet of water. It is a most difficult shot.

The Canadian railways have about doubled in length in 10 years, being now over 12,300 miles.

Charley Dickens, a 14 year-old colored boy preacher, is astonishing the natives down in Macon, Ga.

The first things taught Alaskan children are to dance, shoot the bow and arrow, and to smoke.

A log of solid redwood was struck 140 feet below gravel in sinking an artesian well at Watsonville, Nev.

One of the richest men in St. Paul, who owns block after block of real estate, lives on less than $800 a year.

The first theater of Wilmington, Del., erected in 1834, is now being pulled down to make room for a hotel.

Four or five of the head porters in the leading Chicago hotels are collectively worth over half a million dollars.

Some prose from one of Zola's novels has been set to music by Massonet, and will be sung at the opera in Paris.

Two-thirds of the land of England and Wales is held by 10,207 owners, and 16 of this number own 1,103,028 acres.

A syndicate has been formed in Eau Claire, Wis., for the purpose of "raising buffaloes for the sake of their hides."

One of the odd features of our naturalization laws is that an army officer need not be a citizen, but a naval officer must be.

The estimated consumption of raisins in the United States is 2,000,000 boxes of 22 pounds each, at an average cost of $2 per box.

Good judges estimate that the California wine crop this year will reach 30,000,000 gallons, which is double that of last year.

Grand Rapids, Mich., is the great furniture making center of the United States. It has 42 furniture factories, which employ 12,000 men.

The youthful Emperor of China rises at 3 o'clock in the morning, breakfasts at 6, dines at noon, supa at 3 o'clock and goes to bed by 6.

Thirty bushels per acre the county through is the measure of wheat just harvested and threshed in Carroll county, Maryland.

An "inch of rain" means a gallon of water spread over a surface of nearly two square feet or fall of about 100 tons on an acre of ground.

Four gentlemen came to Gainesville, Ga., not long since, to kill alligators at the sink. In 20 days they killed 600, an average of 30 per day.

Mr. Price, of Macon, Ga., the other day killed a big wild turkey with his little pistol, and the bird was 80 yards off and up a tree into the bargain.

A big willow in an upper New York town was blown a foot from the perpendicular in a late storm, but has little by little gone back to uprightness.

In Chicago a considerate young Swede sailor who was tired of life committed suicide in a Mother Hubbard in order that a friend might have his clothes.

At Grove City, Pa., 65 sheep gathered under a tree during a heavy thunder storm and all were killed by a single stroke of lightning that struck the tree.

London has fewer inhabitants to the house than any other of the great cities of Europe. Vienna has the most persons to the house, having five times as many as London.

The United States has about one-half the railroad mileage of the world, being 150,600 miles, which cost $9,000,000,000 and give employment to more than 1,000,000 men.

Locust have became so attentive to crops in Indiana that farmers in certain sections of the State have found it advisable to cover the more valuable trees with mosquito netting.

The steamer Circassia, which arrived at New York from Glasgow recently, reports that on July 17, during a rainstorm, a small swordfish, measuring six inches, came aboard the vessel.

The paper money of has so depreciated in value that a guest at a hotel ordinarily pays $600 a day for his accommodations. At one time only a few years ago calico sold at $2,000 a yard in these depreciated bills.

Electric engines of 200 horse power each, three together in each locomotive, working independently, are about to be substituted for steam locomotives on the Metropolitan Underground Railroad in London.

At a recent breach of promise suit in Bristol, England, it was testified that during the six years that the defendant, a young man of 27, had paid court to the fair plaintiff, 1,000 letters had passed between the lovers—500 on each side.

CONGRESSMAN SCOTT didn't want to be chairman of the Democratic National Committee this year. He will wait until some year when there appears to be more chances of success.

Now it is "C. C."—Chinese Cleveland—as an order has been found from Cleveland attempting to nullify the restriction act for which Harrison voted.

Poetry.

THE ENTERING WEDGE.

Great Cleveland swings the massive maul,
The Mills bill is his wedge;
To split protection to its roots
He's made a solemn pledge.
To England is his fealty due,
And when she free trade wills,
She names him as her President,
And pays election bills.

She bids him slay our industries,
In fact'ry, forge and loom,
That she may gloat on ill got wealth,
While we crawl to the tomb
'Tis true she does not doom to death
Our stalwart sons of toil,
But kindly leaves them to the choice
To die or till the soil.

To have one industry alone,
While she usurps the whole,
And leaves us serfs of foreign lords,
Bereft of sense and soul.
And must we bend the supple knee
To this abhorred combine,
Which fulminates its foul decree
As something quite divine?

No! by our sacred sires, whose blood
Was shed to make us free,
No President or autocrat
Shall make us bow the knee!
We're armed for manhood's perfect rights—
We'll labor dignify,
And when oppression would invade,
We'll bravely do or die!

We'll write "Protection" on our flag,
And with it stand or fall;
That glorious legend which, upheld,
Alike will bless us all.
To farm, to factory and forge—
To unskilled labor's pains—
It comes with heavenly blessings fraught,
Like summer's gentle rains.

—*J. A. Nunez.*

AS SHE COMES DOWN THE LANE.

Along the fields the shadows fall,
The sun is hanging low,
And on the ivy-mantled wall
The soft lights come and go.
A zephyr wafted from above,
Drifts o'er the waving grain,
My heart goes out to meet my love,
As she comes down the lane.

I lean upon the moss-grown bars,
As 'long the path she fares.
My gracious queen, no blemish mars
The coronet she wears.
The sceptre in her woman's hand
Will banish care and pain,
For I am lord of all the land
When she comes down the lane.

Soft breezes play about her now,
And lift her shining hair,
The sunset glow is on her brow,
To make her passing fair.
Her beauteous face, her modest mien,
To picture them were in vain,
And she is mine, my bonny queen,
As she comes down the lane.

The daisies nod as she goes by,
The wild rose blushes pink,
Sweet song-birds round her pathway fly,
And sing the praise they think.
She lifts her head, her eyes so clear,
Smile into mine again;
My heart cries out, "God bless you, dear,"
As she comes down the lane.

HARRISON AND MORTON.

(*Air: "The Red, White and Blue."*)

There's a sound like the surges of ocean.
Or winds sweeping forest and glade;
It comes from an army in motion,
And it cries, "Down with British Free Trade?"
Our thoughts, beyond words, who'll express them?
As we shout, with enraptured applause:
"Here's to Harrison and Morton! God bless them!
And bless, too, Protection's great cause!"
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And bless, too, Protection's great cause!

From the wreck of the past have our foemen
Unearthed a foul beast of the night,
Which was slain and entombed by our yeomen.
As unmeet for our contact or sight!
But our high hearted heroes will meet them
In harness Protection has made,
And again from the field we shall beat them
And bury the ghost of Free trade!
Yes, again from the field we shall beat them,
And bury the ghost of Free Trade!

Then will England and Cleveland be weeping
O'er the blunders they recklessly made,
And bandanas their red eyes be sweeping
As they groan over British Free Trade!
Thus will Liberty's goddess address them,
Amidst shouts of enraptured applause:
"Here's to Harrison and Morton! God bless them!
And bless, too, Protection's great cause!"

July 4, 1888. *Joseph Nunez*

A FREE TRADE NIGHTMARE.

Sing a song of Cleveland,
With pockets wrongside out;
Many idle workmen
Standing all about.

English factories busy,
Having quite a boom;
India and Australia sending
Materials to consume.

English vessels bringing us
Goods John Bull has sold,
Taking back in payment
Our silver and our gold.

Auctioneers quite merry,
Like boys just out of school;
Western farmers burning
Wheat and corn for fuel.

Then wave the red bandana,
Made across the sea;
When we destroy the tariff
How happy shall we be.

W. C. M.

Our Story Teller

A SNUFF COLORED SUIT.

I scarcely know how it happened, but a timber must have fallen and struck me on the head. The first thing I realized after it was that I was straight and still on something hard, and when I tried to move myself and speak, I found it impossible to do so. I concluded that I must be in some very tight, dark place, for I could not see; in fact I soon learned that, though perfectly conscious, I could do nothing but hear. A door opened, and footsteps approached; then I felt a cloth taken from my face, and a voice, which I recognized as that of Mr. Jones, father of my wife that was to be, said:

"He hasn't changed much," and his companion, whose voice I knew to be the village undertaker, Hopkins by name, said lightly:

"Better looking dead than alive. How does Jerusha feel about it? Does she talk as much?"

"Oh, no; she had her eye on another fellow anyhow, and a better match, too, excepting the money part. Though I had nothing against Ben, only he didn't know much, and was about the homeliest man I ever knew. Such a mouth! Why it really seemed as though he was going to swallow knife, plate and all, when he opened it at dinner."

"Well," said the cheerful voice of Mr. Hopkins; "he'll never open his mouth again;" and then proceed to measure me for my coffin, for it seemed that I was dead, or they thought so, which was all the same to the greedy pocket of the undertakers. I had heard of undertakers who always whistled joyfully when they got a measure, but I never believed it before. That man actually whistled a subdued dancing tune while he measured me, and it seemed that three or four icicles were rolling down my back to the music of his whistle.

His duty done they covered my face again and left me to my own reflections, which were not particularly comforting although I had often heard it remarked that meditation is good for the soul, and this was the best chance I ever had of trying it.

An hour must have passed, when the door again opened, and two persons came whispering along to where I lay, and the voice of my promised wife fell upon my ears, so pathetically.

"I dread to look at him, Rob. He was so mortal homely when alive, he must be frightful in death."

I ground my teeth in imagination, as I remember how often she had gone into raptures, or pretended to, over my noble brow and expressive mouth; and how she had often declared that if I were taken away from her she would surely pine away and die.

One of them raised the cloth, and I knew they were looking at me. Bob was her second cousin, and I knew he was that "other fellow" whom her father had mentioned.

"Seems to me you don't feel very bad about his dying, 'Rusha," remarked Bob, meditatively.

"Well, to tell the truth," said my dear betrothed, "I don't care very much about it. Had he lived I should have married him, because he was rich and my father wanted me to; but was getting about sick of the bargain, for I knew I should always be ashamed of him, he looked so much like a baboon."

"But you loved him," remarked Bob.

"No, I didn't! My affections were long ago wasted upon one who never returned my love," and my fast fading idol sighed heavily.

They had covered my face by this time and were standing a few steps from my body.

"About how long ago, 'Rusha?" asked the now interested Bob.

"A year, or such a matter," and another deep sigh followed, which ended in quite a fit of sneezing.

"About the time I went away?" interrogated Bob, coughing a little.

"Well, yes; some'res near," assented my dear affianced.

"Now, Jerusha, you don't mean to insinuate that I——"

"I don't mean to insinuate anything, Bob Smith!" and the angelic sweetness of her voice was somewhat sharpened.

"Now see here, 'Rusha, I've loved you ever since you were knee-high to a gopher, but I thought when you came home that you was sweet on that other chap; but I swan I believe you liked me all the time?"

"Oh, Bob!" said my was-to be, in a gushing sort of way.

"Mine own Jerusha!" remarked Bob.

Then I heard a subdued rush, accompanied by violent lip-explosions. I tried to kick or grate my teeth, or do something to relieve my outraged feelings, but not a kick nor a grate could I raise. It was an awful fix to be in, but I had to stand it or lay it, so I laid still and let 'em alone until they got tired of it, and then went out, and I was again left to my own pleasant reflections.

Night came, and so did a lot of young fellows with their girls, to sit with me; and they had a jolly time of it, although it was against my principles to enjoy it on so solemn an occasion.

It seemed an age until morning, but it came at last and they went away. I heard them say I was to be buried that day at 2 o'clock, and I was beginning to feel decidedly shaky, when Jerusha and her mother came into the room and began to arrange for the funeral.

"'Rusha," said her mother, "here is that snuff-colored suit of poor Ben's, of course he will never have any more use for clothes, so just put them away among your carpet rags; they'll make a splendid stripe."

Now that particular suit of clothes was just the neatest one I ever owned, armholes, collars, wristbands, buttons, all just the thing, and my blood boiled to hear them talk so coolly of using them for stripes in a rag carpet. They kept on talking as they swept, dusted and cleaned up the room.

"Bob says he will take the Martin farm to work this year," said Jerusha, cherrfully, "and as soon as we are married we shall go to house-keeping in that little cottage close to the road. Now I must get my carpet done, just as soon as possible, for I want it in that nice little front room. These duds of Ben's will make out enough rags, I guess. His folks live so far away they will never inquire about his clothes. Now, if it wasn't for the looks of it, we would ask old mother Smith about coloring yellow; she's sure to be here to-day."

I was getting very mad now, indeed. I felt that the crisis was near, and that I should either die or explode, If they did not let my snuff-colored suit alone. Jerusha picked them up—I knew it, for I heard the buckles and buttons jingle—and made for the door. I tried to shake my fist and yell at her but, but all in vain. I laid there, outwardly as quiet as a lamb, inwardly boiling with wrath. It was too much; the deepest trance could not have held out against the loss of that suit.

With a powerful effort I sprang up and screamed. Jerusha dropped my clothes and her mother the duster, and both fled in haste from the house, never stopping until they reached Dr. Brown's across the street. With difficulty I managed to get my clothes. I had just got them fairly on, when Mrs Jones and her daughter, followed by a numerous company of men, women and children, came peering cautiously into the room. I sat on my board and looked at them. Such a scared-looking crowd was enough to amuse an owl, so I laughed; I knew it was unbecoming, but I couldn't have helped it if they had chucked me into my coffin—which the undertaker was just then carrying past the window—and buried me the next minute. I laughed until I jarred the chair out from under one end of the board, and down I went with a crash. Then the doctor ventured into the room, saying rather dubiously:

"So you are not dead yet, Ben?"

"Well, no, not exactly," I replied; "sorry to disappoint my friends about the funeral, however."

"Yes," he said rather absently, "bad, rather—that is—ahem!"

"Fooled out of that snuff-colored stripe!" I thought, as I looked at Jerusha.

"Go and speak with him," said her father, in a stage whisper. "He's got the stamps, and you had better marry him after all."

They began to gather around me and congratulate me on my escape. I noticed that they cried a great deal more now then they did when I was dead. Jerusha came and hung around my neck, sniveling desperately. I gave her a not over-gentle push and told her to wait next time until I was safely buried before she set her heart on my old clothes.

"O, I am so glad!" she said sweetly, without appearing to notice what I said about the clothes—"that you are not dead, Benny dear. My heart seemed withered and broken to see you lying all cold and white. I wept bitterly over your pale face, my beloved." "Yes," I replied. "I heard you and Bob taking on terribly. It was a lucky die for me."

"Could you hear?" she gasped.

"I rather think I could—some," I replied.

She looked toward the door, but it was crowded full, so she made a dive for the open window and went through it like a deer. She shut herself up in the smoke house, and would not come out until I left the house.

Bob would not fulfill his promise of marriage with his cousin because she tried to make up with me again; so she is living a life of single blessedness.

While I am writing, my wife is cutting up my snuff-colored clothes to make a stripe in a new carpet for our front room.

How Some Monarchs Died.

Henry I died of gluttony.
Queen Anne died of dropsy.
Charles I died on the scaffold.
Edward VI died of a decline.
Richard III was killed in battle.
Henry VII wasted away as a miser ought.
Henry VIII died of carbuncles, fat and fury.
James I died of drinking and the effects of vice.
George IV died of gluttony and drunkenness.
Charles II died suddenly, it is said, of apoplexy.
Henry III is said to have died a natural death.
Queen Mary is said to have died of a broken heart.
Plane people—The carpenters.
A bouncing baby—A rubber doll.
A shaky business—Chucking dice.
A party organ seldom gets out of tune.
A fast horse—The one that is hitched.
Old maids are not favorable to adages.
A well meaning man—One who digs one.
The sphere of the weather prophet—Atmosphere.
The typewriter is the only woman who takes kindly to dictation.
A buckwheat cake and a home run depend largely upon the batter.
A yacht can stand on a tack without swearing. Few men can.
One would think that most men had struck their calling when they hear the dinner bell.
For a man to think he will live forever is the mistake of a man's lifetime.
When a grocer retires from business he weighs less than he did before.

HOW HUSBANDS CAN KEEP THEIR HAIR.

Detroit Free Press.

There are several well-accredited methods of preserving the hair. Personally we tried none of them, but have kept a careful record of those recommended by our baldest friends. To avoid any invidious distinction between them, we submit the several methods in alphabetical order:

A—Arrogate no authority in the household.

B—Be in every night as early as a shutter can be procured.

C—Carry up coal when requested.

D—Don't dictate.

E—Eat what is set before you.

F—Fix the fire before going to bed.

G—Govern with wisdom the dog.

H—Hold your tongue when addressed.

I—Incline to instant obedience.

J—Join nothing (except stovepipe).

K—Keep off the carpet.

L—Look sweet when lulling the baby.

M—Make merry with the wood pile.

N—Never look a bonnet in the bill.

O—Ostracise yourself when the sewing circle meets.

P—Practice perfect patience.

Q—Quash every querulous question.

S—Spend and be spent for the Sisters of Timbuctoo and the Home for Incurable Hottentots.

T—Tend the door.

U—Upset nothing.

V—Vanish when callers come.

W—Watch the kerosene lamp and don't let it smoke.

X—Xplain when called upon.

Y—Yearn for mother-in-law.

Z—Zenus, remember, often and again gave in to Juno, and he had ambrosial locks.

FROM THE PAGES OF HISTORY.

Insurance was in general use in Italy, 1194, and England, 1560.

Clans are said to have arisen in Scotland in the reign of King Malcolm II about 1008.

Leases were invented by a Sergeant Moore, in the twenty-seventh year of the reign of Henry VIII; 1535.

Bolivia declared its independence in 1824, and the same was secured by the victory of Ayacucho, December 9 of the same year.

Intrenched camps in open plains were employed by the Romans and the Gauls. Vestiges of such exist to this day in England and Scotland.

A university is said to have been founded at Bologna by Theodosius about 432, but the real date of the establishment of the University of Boulogne was 1116.

Collegiate degrees are coeval with universities. Masters and doctors existed A. D. 826. Those in law are traced up to 1149, in medicine to 1384, in music to 1463.

Boots are said to have been the invention of the Carians. They were mentioned by Homer, 907 B. C., and and frequently by Roman historians An instrument of torture, termed "the boot," was used in Scotland upon the Covenanters about 1666.

Aquatinta, a kind of engraving by which a soft and beautiful effect is produced, was invented by the celebrated French artist, St. Non, about 1662. One hundred years later Barabbe, of Paris, was distinguished for his improvements in this kind of engraving.

Only the Force of Habit.

From Puck.

"Does the razor hurt you?"
No reply.
"Is the draft too strong?"
No reply.
"Shall I shut the door?"
No reply.
"Think Cleveland will be re-elected?"
No reply.
"Awful fire in New York last night."
No reply.
"Shave you pretty close?"
No reply.
"Getting very warm now."
No reply.
"That was a heavy thunderstorm last night."
No reply.
"Shampoo?"
No reply.
"Trim your hair up a little?"
No reply.
"Brilliantine on the mustache?"
No reply.
"Bay rum?"
No reply.

Then the country barber, who was all alone in his breeze shop, sat down greatly refreshed. He had been shaving himself.

How They Vote in Mexico.

The presidential election that recently took place in Mexico is very different from what it is in this country. Very few people vote, because as a rule the average citizen does not take much interest in politics, and as long as he can go to bed at night in peace and get up in the morning unwakened by cannonaiding, he lets politics run as they please. At most of the polling places situated in the porticos of houses, there were two men sitting at a small table, who were judges of election. There were no ballot boxes, and the ballots were strips of paper on which the voter signified his preference in writing and signed his own name. Nobody wore a badge, there were no crowds of politicians around and there was very little excitement.

GETTING AN EDUCATION.

How a Reading Colored Man Studies on the Streets at Night.

Isaiah Robinson, the young colored man who can be seen on Penn street, Reading, almost every evening, standing under the electric light and studying hard from a book, is progressing in his studies. It is quite a novel sight to see the young man intently devoting himself to his book, and apparently entirely oblivious of the hundreds who pass by. He is now some 30 years of age, and a year and a half ago did not know the alphabet. Now he is mastering the 4th reader, and can read very well. To a reporter he said: "I learned all I know by myself. I commenced with the a b c's, and sometimes got school boys to help me out. I see the benefit of an education and am going right ahead, reading everything I can get hold of. You can't imagine how much happier I am since I can read." Robinson wears a continual smile on his face and he explains this as follows: "Some people think I'm crazy from over study, but its not that. I'm so happy because I am getting along so well in my studies." He does all kinds of odd jobs in the day time, studies late in the night and sleeps in a club room of which he is janitor. He says that he is bound to make a mark for himself yet.

In a Dentist's Office.

"Which is the aching tooth?" inquired the dentist.

"This one," said the sufferer, as he pointed out the offender.

"Ah, yes, I see. Bicuspid."

"What?"

"Bicuspid."

"I'll buy anything, doctor, if you'll only jerk the tooth out; thought it looks a little mean to take advantage of a man in this fix. What are your cuspids worth?"

Afraid of Daylight.

"Do you realize, young man," he said solemnly, "that when you lie down at night you may be called before the morning dawn?"

"No, sir," replied the young man. "I feel quite safe at night; but when I get up in the morning I realize that I may be called before the setting sun lights up the western sky."

"Just so."

"Just exactly so, sir; I'm a base-ball umpire."

A Wise Precaution.

"George, dear," said Mabel, "I thought you and papa were not very good friends."

"Well, yes, that's so to a great extent, I'm sorry to say."

"Why, then, did you send him that great big handsome bulldog?"

"Why did I send him that dog?" George smiled a tender, thoughtful, faraway smile. "You see, dearest, that dog and I are old friends."

A Trick That Failed.

The Treasury Department recently received half of a $20 note from a Brooklyn woman with an affidavit to the effect that the other half had been chewed up by a child. The next day came an affidavit from a New York man, containing half of a $20 note, and stating that the other half had been lost. The two halves bore the same number, and on being laid together the torn edges matched exactly. They were not redeemed.

A Deadly Result.

"Aw, Cholly, I haven't seen you out lately with Miss Flossie. Anything the mattah, old boy?"

"Yas, Alfwed. She insulted me the othah day, and I've dwopped her."

"Insulted you, Cholly? How?"

"Showed me a little pug dog that she had twained to sit upwight and suck the head of a cane, bah Jove!"

A Charitable Soul.

Herbert—Really, Miss Edith, I am sorry I kissed you. I didn't think what I was doing. It is a sort of temporary insanity in our family.

Miss Edith (pityingly)—If you ever feel any more such attacks coming on, you had better come right here, where your infirmity is known, and we will take care of you.

A Terrible Moment of Suspense.

"Miss Clara," he said, tremulously, "I want to tell yer—er the old, old story—" and then for a moment his agitation got the better of him.

"Go on, Mr. Sampson," paid the girl with shy encouragement. "Never mind if it is a chestnut; perhaps I've never heard it before."

A Sufferer from Ennui.

Woman (to tramp)—I suppose you find dogs an unpleasant feature of your life?

Tramp (with a blase air)—Yes, ma'am, dogs often make themselves disgreeably conspicuous; but the greatest bane of the profession is ennui.

WIT AND HUMOR.

The cat is versatile, and if you give her a chance she'll become a lap-a-dairy.

Seven tickets already in the field for the Presidency, and over three months till the election.

The only time when a woman ever longs to keep her mouth shut is when she is at the dentist's.

"Ho for the seashore!" says an exchange. Seems to us that hoeing in the country is more profitable.

"How doth the little busy bee?" Well, if you meddle with him you will be apt to find out how much he doth.

When a watch manufacturing company fails, of course somebody must be appointed to wind up the affairs of the concern.

Blobson—"Don't you think that Dempsey rather plays the fool?"

"Popinjay—"No, Sir; I think that he works at the job."

"Mam'a, mam'a," sobbed a little six year-old girl, running into the house, much offended, "I wish you'd whip the old hen. She won't let me see the chickies. She dest lifted up her dress an' they all run right under!"

Country Minister—"I am very sorry, Mr. Wrangle, but as I was driving from the parsonage before service I saw your little boy on Goosecreek bridge snaring for suckers." Mr. Wrangle—"Is that so, parson? Did ye notice what luck he was havin'?"

In a bar-room—First drunkard—"You're a liar, an' I can prove it!" Second ditto—"Y're 'nother, an' I'll—" Proprietor—"Jim, fire those fellers out. I'll have 'em understand that this place ain't sunk to the level of the United States House of Representatives, not much."

Nervous Passenger (on Southern railroad)—"Conductor, why are we running at such a frightful rate of speed?" Conductor (reassuringly)—"There's a rotten bridge, madame, half a mile ahead, and we want to get over it with as little strain as possible."—*Life.*

"Is there any such thing as law in this country, I should like to know?" exclaimed an irate individual as he rushed into the Prosecuting Attorney's office. "Yes, of course there is," was the reply. "Whereabouts?" "Just glance through that copy of the Revised Statutes over there."

He—I read something funny the other day. It was about a man who had invented a parlor lamp which would go out promptly at 10 p. m.

She—How nice!

And he hasn't yet made up his mind whether it was a hint to go or to turn down the gas.

"Bobby," said young Featherly, as the lad opened the door. "I think I left my umbrella here last evening. Will you ask your sister Clara if she has seen anything of it?"

"It's all right," replied Bobby. "Sister's out walking with Mr. Sampson, and as it looked like rain they took it with them."

A little girl in Lewiston, Me., who was ill the other evening, called her mother to her bedside and said piteously: "Mamma, I am awful sick I just swallowed upward," and her mamma sympathized with her deeply.

Happy Bride—Isn't that lovely! So you have the house all ready?

Young Husband—We can begin housekeeping at once. By the way, angel, do you know how to cook?

Bride—No; but mother does.—*Omaha World.*

"Adolphus, d'ye know that I'm a little vexed at Miss Simmons?"

"What happened, Arthur, old boy?"

"Well, you know, I pride myself on my singing. We were at the piano. 'I'll sing one more song and then go home,' I said."

"Was it late?"

"About midnight."

"And what did she say?"

"She said, 'Can't you go home first?'"

"And did you?"

"Yes, Adolphus. I tell you I'm a little vexed about it."

Mr. Winks—I see your card is from the American unintelligent employment office. Have you ever hired out?

Fair maid—No, sir.

"Can you cook?"

"No, sir."

"Wash and iron?"

"No, sir."

"Can you do anything at all about a house, sew, for instance?"

"No, sir."

"Hump! Are you good for anything?"

"No, sir."

"My dear girl, you have made a mistake. Don't waste any more money on employment agencies. Go to the matrimonial agency."

Too Much of One Kind.

Mrs. Wistful—What happy people you are to have six nice daugters! What resources for your old age.

Mr. Quiverful—Yes, resources enough. But the difficulty nowadays consists in husbanding one's resources.

It doesn't bother a lawyer to see breakers ahead—that is, if they are law-breakers.

Railroads

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table, November 14, 1887.

WESTWARD	Exp A M	Mail P M
Leave Lock Haven	9 00	5 45
Flemington	9 05	3 45
Mill Hall	9 09	3 48
Beech Creek	9 25	4 03
Eagleville f	9 30	4 08
Howard	9 44	4 22
Mount Eagle f	9 54	4 32
Curtin	10 01	4 38
Milesburg	10 12	4 48
Bellefonte	10 25	5 00
Milesburg	10 35	5 10
Snow Shoe Int	10 38	5 14
Unionville	10 48	5 24
Julian	11 59	5 35
Martha	11 09	5 47
Port Matilda	11 19	5 56
Hannah f	11 26	6 05
Fowler f	11 29	6 08
Dix f	11 32	6 11
Bald Eagle	11 38	6 19
Vail	11 43	6 24
Arrive at Tyrone	11 55	6 37
EASTWARD	P.M.	A
Leave Tyrone	7 15	8 16
East Tyrone	7 22	8 17
Vail	7 28	8 26
Bald Eagle	7 33	
Dix f	7 39	
Fowler f	7 42	8 3[illegible]
Hannah f	7 46	8 3[illegible]
Port Matilda	7 55	8 4[illegible]
Martha	8 05	8 51
Julian	8 15	8 58
Unionville	8 25	9 11
Snow Shoe Int	8 35	9 18
Milesburg	8 39	9 22
Bellefonte	8 49	5 32
Milesburg	9 01	9 47
Curtin	9 11	10 01
Mount Eagle f	9 17	10 06
Howard	9 27	10 16
Eagleville f	9 40	10 30
Beech Creek	9 45	10 35
Mill Hall	10 01	10 50
Flemington f	10 05	10 54
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 10	11 00

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after Nov. 13th, 1887.

Leaves Snow Shoe at 6:45 a m; arrives at Bellefonte at 8:45 a m.

Leaves Bellefonte 9.42 a m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.50 a m

Leaves Snow Shoe 3.15 p m., arrives at Bellefonte 5.29 p m

Leaves Bellefonte at 8:05 p m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 10:00 p m.

S S BLAIR, General Sup

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, Nov. 13th, 1887.

WESTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixed A. M
Leave Scotia	12 15	5 06
Fairbrook	12 40	5 [illegible]
Penn'a Furnace	1 05	5 40
Hostler f	1 11	5 [illegible]
Marengo f	1 17	5 55
Loveville f	1 20	6 0[illegible]
Furnace Road f	1 27	6 10
Dungarvin	1 30	6.13
Warriors Mark	1 50	6 28
Pennington	2 07	6 40
Weston Mill f	2 20	6 50
L. and T. June	2 26	6 55
Tyrone	2 35	6 58
EASTWARD.	Mixed. P.M.	Mixed A. M
Leave Tyrone	4 30	9 20
L. & T. June	4 34	9 25
Weston Mill f	4 40	9 29
Pennington	4 55	9 48
Warriors Mark	5 05	9 58
Dungarvin	5.17	10.09
Furnace Road f	5 26	10 12
Loveville f	5 26	10 16
Marengo f	5 30	10 22
Hostler f	5 40	10 38
Penn'a Furnace	5 50	10 44
Fairbrook	6 05	11 02
Scotia	6 25	11 30

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE R. R.—BELLEFONTE, NITTANY AND LEMONT R. R. To take effect Nov. 29th, 1887.

Dis.	Westward a.m.	p.m.		Eastwar. a.m.	a.m.	p.m
.0	5.50	1.30	.....MONTANDON.....	5.30	9.10	5.45
1.5	6.15	1.40	Ar..LEWISBURG..Lv	5.20	9.00	5.35
1.5	6.15	1.40	Lv..LEWISBURG..Ar	.....	9.00	5.35
5.4	6.24	1.48	.....Biehl f.....	.....	8.51	5.26
6.8	6.30	1.55	.....Vicksburg f.....	.....	8.45	5.20
10.7	6.41	2.05	... MIFFLINBURG....	.....	8.35	5.0[illegible]
13.1	6.48	2.11	.....Barber f.....	.....	8.29	5.01
18.2	6.54	2.16	.....Swengie f.....	.....	8.24	4.56
16.1	6.56	2.20	.....Millmont.....	.....	8.22	4.53
18.6	7.05	2.30	.....LAURELTON.....	.....	8.13	4.43
23.5	7.12	2.37	.....Pardee f.....	.....	8.01	4.30
24.7	7.15	2.40	.....Welker f.....	.....	7.57	4.24
28.9	7.30	2.55	....Cherry Run f.....	.....	7.48	4.16
32.2	7.40	3.03	..Paddy Mt. Tunnel f..	.....	7.40	4.08
33.9	7.45	3.09	.....Fowler f.....	.....	7.36	3.57
36.6	7.52	3.15	.....Coburn	.....	7.27	3.56
39.6	7.58	3.25	.....Zerby f.....	.....	7.19	3.45
43.4	8.10	3.35	....Rising Springs....	.....	7.10	3.35
46.2	8.18	3.45	.....Penn's Cave f.....	.....	7.00	3.27
49.2	8.25	3.54	....CENTRE HALL....	.....	6.52	3.2[illegible]
51.6	8.33	3.59	.....Gregg f.....	.....	6.43	3.13
54.6	8.42	4.08	.....Linden Hall.....	.....	6.36	3.05
56.7	8.48	4.15	.....OAK HALL.....	.....	6.30	3.00
58.3	8.52	4.19	.....LEMONT.....	.....	6.25	2.55
60.2	8.59	4.25	.....Dale Summit f.....	.....	6.20	2.50
63.9	9.09	4.35	.....Pleasant Gap f....	.....	6.10	2.40
65.2	9.14	4.41	.....Axeman f.....	.....	6.04	2.34
67.4	9.20	4.45	....BELLEFONTE.....	.....	6.00	2.30

CHAS E. PUGH.....General Manager
ROBERT NEILSON.....General Superintendent
E. B. WESTFALL.....Superintendent

BELLEFONTE AND BUFFALO RUN RAILROAD.—To take effect Monday, Oct. 17, 1887.

EASTWARD. No. 4. P. M.	No. 2. A. M.	Dis.	STATIONS.	Dis.	WESTWARD. No. 1. A. M	No. 3 P. M
6 19	9 14	18.	Ar..Bellef'te..Lv	0.	6 30	3 30
6 09	8 59	14.7	...Hastings, F...	3.2	6 42	3 43
6 00	8 52	12.5	.....Hunters	5.5	6 48	3 50
5 56	8 47	11.2	.....Fillmore	6.8	6 54	3 55
5 51	8 42	10.	.....Sellers, F.....	8.	6 58	4 00
5 46	8 36	8.	.....Waddles	10.	7 04	4 06
5 23	8 11	3.2	...Thompson, F...	14.8	7 26	4 32
5 20	8 07	2.	....Krumrine	16.	7 30	4 37
5 13	8 00	0.	...State College...	18.	7 36	4 43

Trains will stop at stations marked F when signal is given or notice to Conductor.

Trains 2 and 4 connect with Trains East and West on Bald Eagle Valley Railroad and Snow Shoe Branch.

THOMAS A. SHOEMAKER, Sup't

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Nov. 13th, 1887.

EASTWARD.		
ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11 25 p
" "	Harrisburg	3 30 a
" "	Williamsport	7 10 a
" "	Jersey Shore	7 35 a
" "	Lock Haven	7 58 a
" "	Renovo	8 50 a
" arr at	Erie	4 00 p
NIAGARA EXP. leaves	Philadelphia	7 40 a
" "	Harrisburg	11 25 a
" arr. at	Williamsport	2 15 p
" "	Lock Haven	3 30 p
" "	Renovo	4 30 p
" "	Kane	8 35 p
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at		5 60 p
FAST LINE leaves	Philadelphia	11 50 a
" "	Harrisburg	3 45 p
"	Williamsport	7 10 p
" arr at	Lock Haven	8 02 p
"	Renovo	9 00 p
SUNDAY MAIL leaves	Phil'a	4 30 a
" "	Harrisburg	7 40 a
" " "	W'm'sport	10 35 a
" "	Lock Haven	11 33 a
" " arr. at	Renovo	12 30 p
RASTWARD.		
Sea Shore EXPRESS leaves	L. Haven	7 05 a
" " "	Jer'y S're	7 35 a
" " "	W'msp't	8 15 a
" " arr. at	Harrisb'g	11 35 a
" " "	Phila'phia	3 15 p
DAY EXP leaves	Kane	6 25 a
" "	Renovo	10 20 a
" "	Lock Haven	11 15 a
"	Williamsport	12 20 p
" arr at	Harrisburg	3 13 p
" "	Philadelphia	6 50 a
ERIE MAIL leaves	Erie	2 45 p
" "	Renovo	11 00 p
"	Lock Haven	11 58 p
"	Williamsport	1 25 a
arr at	Harrisburg	4 20 a
" "	Philadelphia	8 25 a
RENOVO ACCN leaves	Renovo daily	4 05 p
" arrives at	Harrisb'g	9 30 p
" "	Philadelphia	4 25 a

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—Wayne Station camp is a brilliant success this season.

—There are many creations of beauty in the ladies' summer toilets.

—A scene of great activity around the site of the new National Bank building.

—When Huntingdon young men want to go on a spree they journey to Tyrone.

—It looks as if at least one-half the Democratic party will vote for Harrison this year.

—The agent with a book of the lives of the candidates is circulating quite freely in Bellefonte.

—Mr. John P. Harris is building another frame dwelling house on East Lamb street. Mr. Samuel Gault has the contract.

—The fence on the Spring street side of Mr. John P. Harris' property looks bright under a fresh application of paint.

—General Harrison is a Mascot. Each time he looked at the base ball game between the Indianapolis and the Chicago clubs his home team beat the champions.

—Francis Murphy is to be in Philipsburg this week. Francis has sank 60 per cent. in our estimation since his interference with law and order in Pittsburg.

—It is strange how many people stand directly in front of the cars when they are approaching. It would seem that if they will not exert due care at any other time they at least would do so when on the railroad track.

—A child of Mr. Benjamin Smith's, on East Bishop street, died quite suddenly on Friday morning. The little one who is about a year old, became very ill and, notwithstanding immediate medical attention, died a short time after its first sickness. The cause of its illness and death does not seem to be certainly known.

—An antique maiden lady living on Allegheny street was heard last night giving voice to some very refined and penetrating screeches. When asked what was the matter she explained that she wanted some protection. She had seen so much about it in the papers that she concluded it is a good thing and would like to have some of the best quality.

—Those who are skilled in woodcraft and observe the various signs and omens in the forests say they can always tell in which direction they are always traveling by observing the action of the sun and weather upon the trunks of trees which stand where they are shaded. The bark on the north side of trees turns green, and soon moss grows upon that side, this being the case particularly with maple trees.

—Last Monday Mrs. James Mendenhall, in Turkey valley, Juniata county, went for berries, accompanied by her 5-year-old son. The two became separated, and the lad got lost. All efforts to find him proved futile up to last accounts, although the county has been scoured by people. The parents are nearly crazed by the loss of their boy. It is feared that a band of gypsies saw the boy alone and carried him off.

—This paper has reported hundreds of Democrats flopping into the Republican camp and not one of them has been contradicted, but we have the pleasure of contradicting two reports of reputed floppers from Harrison to Cleveland. They are A. J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, and Peter Ritner, of Carlisle. Both gentlemen say they will vote the Republican ticket this year. Mr. Ritner is a relative of Governor Ritner and was a William Henry Harrison voter. He is solid for Benjamin.

—Of course, it is almost unnecessary to remark that we are sorry for "Faraway Moses," who, in his article published on Friday, takes such a sad view of matters and things in general. We recommend for him a dose of medicine. "Faraway" is sad because Christians do not labor for the amelioration of mankind. It is certain that Christians do very little of that kind of labor, but we wonder how much of it "Faraway" has done. Let him put his shoulder to the wheel in the "ameliorating" business and it will have a good influence not only on those who are near by, but also even on some who are "Faraway."

—The Altoona *Times* this morning, in a protest against the prevalence of wickedness, exclaims, "We seem to be living in an age of crime, and just why it is so we are not able to determine. There must be something wrong at the fountain head." We might suggest that Cleveland is at the fountain head of government and we have all along considered that wrong. But the real reason is this: There is not sufficient backbone in the newspapers of the day to protest against that which leads to wickedness, viz., Sunday journalism, lack of strictness in the observance of Sunday, demoralizing literature and entertainments, and a dozen other things which might be enumerated. These are fountain heads of wickedness. How does the *Times* stand in reference to them?

Hon. Jos. P. Bass

is the best known man in eastern Maine except possibly Hon. James G. Blaine. The reason for this lies in the fact that he is a pushing, energetic business man, and having wealth, is interested in many enterprises, giving employment to many people. About four years ago he took a large tract of land in Bangor, on which he built a fine race track, where, for the last two years, the New England Agriculture Society have held their annual exhibitions. At this time Mr. Bass overtaxed his powers, weakened his system by exposure, and the result was he found himself a victim of Dyspepsia and Kidney disease.

His food distressed him, he had the lame back, the tired feeling, that weary, continuous pain, so often described and so familiar to all suffering from these troubles. He was in despair of getting well when, one day, a "sudden whim," as Mr. Bass terms it, changed the whole current of his life. He is a large owner in the Bangor *Daily Commercial*, the office of which is directly across the street from the Brown's Sarsaparilla establishment, and seeing several bottles displayed in the window, yielded to the "whim," went over, bought one and used the contents. It astonished him, inasmuch as it aided him more than all the physicians and a southern trip. He took the second bottle, which was equally as effective as the first, and when the Hon. Geo. B. Loring, of Massachusetts, Hon. Geo. Noyes, of the Massachusetts *Ploughman*, and other managers of the N. E. Fair came to Bangor in August, 1886 they found Mr. Bass in perfect health, due solely to the use of

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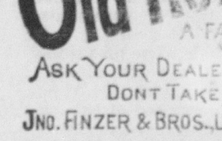

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The State Fair.

Preparations are being made for the State Fair which will begin in Philadelphia on Monday, September 3. The premiums this year aggregate $25,000 and the entry books will close on August 27. In addition to the usual premiums for stock, produce, domestic work, etc., there will be the following:

For the best daily report of the exhibition of 1888 published in any newspaper, entries to be made on or before the first day of September, 1888, $100 and $50.

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—More police protection, both day and night, is needed. Greater public spirit and patriotism on the part of citizens in providing such protection should be aroused. Each individual should feel it essential to his happiness and comfort to be a part of a well organized community and should be willing to make any sacrifice in its interest. Instead of being one whit behind any other community Bellefonte should be in advance. So, take advantage of the extreme emergency by putting on more night patrol and by employing skillful detectives to ferret out criminals. That this is not done is surprising to all who looked upon Bellefonte as a model town. It is humiliating to citizens who have prided themselves that they lived in the best town in the State. There are many who remain here only because of the local pride which they take in the town, and if they are to remain a thorough reorganization, to meet the demands of a changed condition of affairs, is imperatively necessary. Please come up half way to the level of the times.

—Rev. W. H. H. Snyder indulges to a considerable extent in fancy gardening and has one of the most flourishing gardens in Bellefonte. His bean vines are beautiful and thrifty, retaining their green, fresh appearance, even after producing large, well-matured beans for several weeks. Luxuriant looking egg plants look as fresh and bright as if this was the climate exactly suited for them. The celery plants are undergoing the transplanting which is necessary to bring them to perfection and stand up strong and flourishing even under the rays of the noon-day sun. Tomato vines show a wealth of verdure which is luxuriant and, what is more, already bear fine large fruit which needs only to blush red to make it fit for eating. Corn is also maturing in fine style and will soon be fit for the table.

—Some two weeks ago little Mary, daughter of Rev. C. C. Rumberger, of Tioensta, Pa, fell and fractured her arm, since which time she has been confined to the house. Quite a number of Mary's little girl friends have been carrying her boquets. On Thursday last her Pug dog "Bob," noticing the pleasure she evinced in receiving the flowers, appeared to think he must also bring a boquet, so away he went to the yard and plucked a mouthful of plantain leaves, and putting his forepaws on her bed, gave them to her as a floral offering.

—The iron fence around the Reformed church is very brilliantly black and handsome.

An old whaleman, being asked if he admired the harp, said yes, if it was a harpoon.

"Throw a big stone at that cat, mother," said the sick boy, "or, in other words, "Rock me to sleep,"

A Gypsy Lore Society has been formed in London. Is there any lower society than a Gypsy, anyhow?

Now that the Sultan of Muscat is dead, what will become of the poor little Muskittens?

"Give me a light lunch," said a traveler in a Russian railway restaurant. And they brought him a tallow candle.

Mrs. Upton Flute—"What are you dusting the furniture with, Bridget?" Bridget—"Wiv ther dust pan, mum, what else?"

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The Boston *Daily Globe* deserves a good deal of credit for its enterprise in securing from exGovernor John D. Long a clear, truthful and non-partisan statement in relation to General Harrison's record on the Chinese question. It is printed in full below, and should be read by every fair minded wage earner in the country: "Harrison, when Senator, voted in 1882 against what was called the Page bill. It was a bill which, as he and many other sound lawyers believed, violated the provisions of the treaty then existing between the United States and China, and there was, therefore, no other way in which he could honestly vote, being a statesman and not a demagogue.

"But as to excluding the Chinese and stopping the outrageous system by which they were dumped upon the Pacific coast, he was in favor of accomplishing that object in the only way possible--by some bill that should be in harmony with existing treaty obligations, or by making a new treaty that would insure exclusion. In fact, the Page measure, after it became law, was found to be ineffectual, and further legislation was necessary. A bill was therefore introduced two or three years ago in the Forty-ninth Congress by Mr. Morrow in the House and by Senator Fair in the Senate In the latter it was referred to the Senate committee on Foreign Relations, of which Senator Harrison was a member.

"It was a vigorous bill, carefully prepared by members of Congress representing the Pacific slope and approved by United States officials who were familiar with the difficulties of enforcing Chinese exclusion. It was drawn by Mr. Morrow, who had been Assistant United States District Attorney, and it was an advance on any previous legislation. The Senate committee unanimously reported it back favorably, and it passed the Senate with no dissenting vote, Senator Harrison, therefore voting for it, although Senator Hoar, it should in justice to his position be said, opposed it in debate.

It is said that in 1882 Harrison voted against an amendment of Senator Farley providing that no court should admit Chinese to citizenship. But, as Senator Edmunds then pointed out, our naturalization laws already forbade Chinese naturalization. It had been so decided in the courts. Senator Edmunds therefore proposed a substitute for Farley's amendment, as follows: 'Nothing in this act shall be construed to change the existing naturalization laws so as to admit Chinese persons to citizenship.' Senator Harrison preferred the Edmunds amendment to the Farley amendment, as any sensible man well might, and voted for the former, which fully covered the very point sought for in the anti-Chinese interest."

Book Agent: "I have here 'The Life and Glorious Triumps of Parnell,' which I should like to——" Our Cook: "'Tis of French extraction I am; but ye're shure to sell wan of thim to the Oirish servants nixt door." *Punch.*

Considerable amusement was occasioned about the ticket-seller's stand at the circus Saturday by an overgrown youth who brought along the family Bible to prove that he was entitled to half-fare. *Augusta(Me.)Journal.*

A lady cornered her worser half by asking: "My dear, if you can't really drink bad coffee without abusing me, how is it that you can drink bad beer without abusing the barkeeper?" He subsided and drank the coffee. *Woman.*

"I know I've got a vein of poetry in me, sir," confidentially asserted the young man to the editor, "and all I want is a chance to bring it out. What would you suggest, sir?" "I think you had better see a doctor and have it lanced." *Life.*

Dealer—"That hat's worth two dollars and a half, but I will let you, as a friend, have it for two dollars." Brown "All right; but say, the fifty cents goes with the hat, don't it?"—*Life.*

From His Standpoint: Rutherford (of New York)—"Ever been East before?" Goldgate (of San Francisco) "Oh, yes! I passed several days in Salt Lake City three years ago."—*Tid-Bits.*

"What have you in the shape of oranges?" asked a customer at the Composite Store in a rural town. "Baseballs and doughnuts." was the response. "Which'll you have?"—*New York Sun.*

"It is a pity," said an Irish laborer the other day, as he mopped his brow; "it's a pity that we can't have the cowld weather in the summer and the hot weather in the winter."—*Boston Courier.*

THE LARGEST STEAMER.

The largest steamer in the world, the Puritan, was launched on Wednesday at Chester. It is a monster and is thus described:

"The Puritan is 403 feet 4 inches on the water line and 420 feet over all. Her breadth of hull is 52 feet, breadth over guards 91 feet and depth from base line to lowest point of sheer 20 feet 6 inches. She has a double hull with fifty-two water-tight compartments. The inner hull has also six cross bulkheads, dividing it into seven other water-tight compartments.

The hull is built of steel throughout and contains thirty angles. There are about 700,000 rivets in the hull which if placed end for end would reach over twenty miles. The rudder is 14 feet 6 inches long by 13 feet mean height. Length from bottom to top of stock 18 feet and weighs 13 tons. The Puritan is thirty-two feet longer than the Pilgrim, her sister ship, two feet wider and three feet deeper. She will have 355 state-rooms; 110 more than the Pilgrim. The Puritan will have a compound steam engine of 7,500 indicated horse power, or 2,200 more horse power than the Pilgrim. The cylinder casting weighs thirty tons, and has but one equal in size in the world, the single cylinder of the Pilgrim.

The cranks weigh each nine tons. The shafts weigh forty tons finished and are the biggest shafts ever made in this country. The wheels, as a whole, are the heaviest ever made, each weighing one hundred tons. The Puritan in every way will be larger, finer and have more power than any similar steamer in the world and will make her first trip when the roses of June next bloom."

PEPPER BOX.

"Bridget, has Johnnie come home from school yet?" "Yis sorr." "Have you seen him?" "No sorr." "Then how do you know he's home?" "'Cause the cat's hidin under the stove, sorr." *Time.*

A teacher in Portland, On., recently said to a fat boy in his class: "Now, Joseph, you may enumerate the five senses." Fat boy (scratching his head) "Eatin', drinking', tastin' an' an' I forget the rest."

When pretty, pouting lips say "no,"
Don't go
And blow
Your brains all out to simply show
How deep you're plunged in mental woe
And pain.
But hid in Cupid's ambush lie,
Nor cry,
Nor sigh,
Nor say all joy has passed you by,
And when a chance is offered, try
Again.

A New York merchant, whose life was made miserable by the visits of travelling salesmen, has invented a scheme for outmanœuvring the fraternity. At his store door, under a big hand which points up a carpeted stairway, is the legend: "Entrance for salesmen." The stairs wind, but the way for drummers is pointed out by another hand at the head of the stairs. The salesman who follows its mute direction is presently confronted by two more. One points down a stairway and the other points into the street.

"We must curtail expenses," said the husband to his sweet wife. "Indeed, and I don't see how anybody could be more saving than I am. We've got a family of four of our own and two servants, and yet I manage to get along, my dress bills and all, with only a little over $200 month." "And I get a salary of $100 month." "Well, you must get them to raise your salary. You have the least management about you of any person I ever saw. Oh, if I only were a man!"

Youth: "Iv'e got some poetry here I'd like to have you look over." Editor: "Yes, sir. Have you got your license with you?" Youth: "My license?" Editor: "Yes your poetic license." Youth: "N-n-no. I didn't know I had to have one." Editor; "We never look over any poetry without first seeing the poet's license. Good-day."

Lady: Have you any man calling to see you?" New cook: "Yes, mum.' "I don't like to have strange men coming to the house. I am afraid of burglars." "Be aisy, mum; the gintleman is a perliceman. He is just the man you want to have on the praymesis, if it's burglars that yez be afraid of."

Brown caught his servant one day in his bed-room making his toilet.

"You do not mean to say, James, you are in the habit of doing this? Why you are actually using my tooth-brush."

"Yes, sir; but, please sir, I was careful to wash it first."

Newsy Howard.

Thos. Maffett and family have moved to Milesburg.

The band received $106.64 cents from its festival of last Saturday.

Fred Dunham is painting for J. Harbison Holt, in Snow Shoe.

Howard's popular landlord, Mr. John Newson, caught nineteen large bass, the other day.

Orrin Brickly's eldest child is suffering from a severe attack of diphtheria.

Miss Jennie Strickland one of Bellefonte's loveliest, is visiting her sister here, Mrs. M. I. Gardner.

Philip Ertle is working at Ziglers saw mill, in little sugar valley.

Miss Jennie Pontius and Nellie Kline, two of Bellefonte's vivacious young ladies, are visiting friends in this place.

Hays Schenck has purchased a lot from the Tipton estate, on which he is preparing to erect a Queen Elizabeth cottage.

Soloman Tice, this week, leaves for Iowa to look after his real estate there and assist in the settlement of his father's estate.

Wesley Adams, Esq., lost a very fine horse last week. Dr. Cook was the attending physician, but his skill and medicine failed to accomplish the desired result.

Messrs. Wigton and Boal are the favorite republican candidates for the legislature in this section of the county. If nominated they would receive more than their party vote.

Aaron Williams was hereabouts on Monday last trying to re-build his legislative fences that J. H. Holt, of Snow Shoe, broke down last week. Mr. Holt appears to be the favorite with democratic voters in this district, but Aaron is a daisy.

The Howard Borough School Board have elected Prof. George W. Rumbarger, of Unionville, principal of the Grammar School. Your correspondent of last week was mistaken when he said that ex-county Superintendent McCloskey had secured the position.

Col. H. M. Bassart, of Westport, Clinton Co., who was Colonel of the 137th Regiment, P. V., was in Howard on Monday last. He had been in attendence at the funeral of the late Mrs. John P. DeHaas. The Colonel is now engaged in the flour and feed business and bears his age remarkably well.

It is reported to us that a re-organization of our Cornet Band is in contemplation. Among the changes mentioned is the giving of the second alto horn to George Wants.

When you come to the matter of fans, the japanese take the palm.

The peach crop may be doubtful, but the speech crop will not fail.

Washington Guide (to visitor): "That gentleman is Mr. Lamont. He is one of the lions, you know." Visitor: "Is he? I s'posed he was the Daniel."

Dr. Daniel Wilson, of the University of Toronto, has declined a knighthood. He has no intention of giving some irreverent students an opportunity to call him a "Sir cuss."—*New York World.*

Mable (a stranger in town)—"Is Maude Hifly a girl who cares very much for style?" Mamie—"Style? I should think so. Why, they say the affected thing eats her very meals off a fashion plate".—*New Haven News.*

A Well-Founded Report. Miss Ethel (confidentially): "Do you know, Clara, that I had two offers of marriage last week." Miss Clara [with enthusiasm] "Oh, I am delighted, dear! Then the report is really true that your uncle left you his money."

Drummer [indignant at being charged with writing paper at a Texas hotel] "How did I come to be charged with writing paper? I never had any." Waiter [desiring to mollify him] "May be not, sar. Hit's de paper de bill was made out on." *Siftings.*

Always ready. Locomotive Builder [on a railroad train]: "The reason we are kept waiting here is because the engine has broken down. I have examined it, and if I only had the proper tools I could fix it in half an hour." Hopeful Wife: "Here's a hair-pin, dear.

Mr. Einstetter [in the bosom of his family]: "How mooch mein liddle Davit loaf he's father—heh?" Little David: "Von hundret per cend., no discound, fasd golors, mid exchanche on Lohndon!" Mr. Einstetter [in an agony of filial love]: "Ach! mein fader's own chrantson, say dot again!"

"Yes," said the General, "our Indian allies were helpful, although their lack of knowledge of the English language frequently gave rise to embarrassing situations. I remember particularly at the battle of Tippo-Tibati an alarm was sounded, and I gave the order, 'To arms,' and every mother's son of them mistook my meaning and took to their legs."

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill and infant son, who have been guests at the home of Mr. F. C. Richards, returned on Tuesday to their home in Philadelphia.

WILLIAMSPORT is certain of securing the Demerest manufacturing company.

Miss Margaret Pruner, of Bellefonte, is visiting her niece, Mrs. A. C. Moyer, at Sandy Ridge. The Sandy Ridge Band serenaded the lady on Saturday evening. —*Philipsburg Ledger.* And, we may add, never was a serenade more worthily bestowed.

Gov. HILL has pardoned the Italian woman, Chiara Cignarale, for the murder of her husband. It is important it should be mentioned that he has done this not simply because she is a woman but because there were extenuating circumstances in her offence, and because the terrible suffering that fear of the gallows has given her had already brought her to the brink of the grave. If there had been no provocation for her crime and if she had been robust, she would doubtless have been hanged.

—The fruit dealers in Williamsport are having lively times killing tarantulas, which are big spiders, shipped to them in bunches of bananas. Their bite is deadly. One dealer says that he has killed dozens of them and that he always looks carefully before he takes a banana from the bunch. How is it with Bellefonte dealers in bananas? Surely Williamsport cannot have a monopoly of this tarantula business, or we shall begin to suspect that the so-called tarantulas are only ordinary spiders of larger growth.

—The command has gone forth that hereafter the watches of the Pennsylvania Railroad trainmen must be examined by a jeweler. If a watch is in good running order the owner is given a certificate which he must present before he is permitted to take a train out. The owner of any watch that does not pass muster is compelled to purchase another or leave the company's employ. All watches must be inspected once a month, for which the campany pays.

—Mr. Garman believes it will be impracticable for him to build an opera house, as to do so would probably deprive him of his hotel license, that being the universal experience in other places, and he would not care for such a result. So, although he has already gone to considerable expense, he will be compelled to give up the project, which leaves the field open to other parties.

We had a pleasant call from Mr. Irvin Wirts, of Houserville. Mr. Wirtz is a young man of more than ordinary intelligence and is agent for a large and beautiful family Bible. He is also agent for a book entitled, "Beautiful Story," or golden gems of religious thought, and "Wild West" scenes with biographical sketch of Buffalo Bill and his associates.

—A young lady who purchased a hammock was told that it was warranted to sustain a weight of 290 pounds. Then she figured a little on some paper, as follows: "John, 164 pounds, plus my weight, 125 pounds, equals 189 pounds. Then to the clerk: Please give me one that will sustain 300 pounds weight as there must be some allowance for osculation."

What a Pretty Baby.

Is it a boy or a girl? How often do we hear this remark and question. Yes, it is a pretty baby, but how bad its mother looks. She looks as if she were going right down. She is so thin and yellow, and her face is covered with wrinkles and blotches. She seems so nervous and irritable too; but it is easy to account for her condition. Childbirth has left her with prolapsus or other displacements, poisoned blood, and a disordered state of the stomach and bowels. The best thing she can do is to use at once Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which has been prepared for the express need of women in this condition. All druggists.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets—cleanse and regulate the stomach, bowels and system generally. 25c. a vial; one a dose.

—The funeral services on Saturday morning over the remains of the late Jacob Rapp, Sr., were held in the Catholic church, and were attended by a numerous concourse of mourning friends and relatives. We believe that Rev. Father Seibert, of Lock Haven, assisted Rev. P. McArdle in the services.

$80 One bottle of English Spavin Liniment cured my fine Norman mare of two ugly blood spavins which damaged her value at least $80. It is the grandest Blemish cure I ever used. John McCain, Horse Dealer, Darlington Ind. Sold by F. Potts Green, Druggist, Bellefonte, Pa. 20-15-6m

—Mrs. Chilsley: "I see statistics show that seventy-five per cent. of male criminals are unmarried." Mr. Chilsley: "Which shows how many men prefer the penitentiary to matrimony." And the ensuing silence was so deep that Mrs. Chilsley could hear herself reflect.

The Handsomest Lady in Bellefonte

Remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when others had no effect whatever. So to prove this and convince you of its merits, any druggist will give you a sample bottle free. Large size 50c and $1.

Harness Stolen.

A full set of harness was stolen from Mrs. Reuben Valentine's stable on Sunday night. She will pay a liberal reward for information which will lead to the apprehension and punishment of the thief and the recovery of the harness.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin; Curbs, Splints, Ring bone, Stifles Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, Etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted. Sold by F. Potts Green, Druggist Bellefonte, Pa. 20-15-6m

Synopsis of Snow Shoe News.

The weather here is delightful.

J. W. Bedford is holding a protracted meeting at the Sugar Camp school house.

A child of Mathias Mays died Sunday, the 22d, and was buried on Tuesday.

Mrs. Thad Longwell of Steelton, Pa., is visiting her friends and relatives at Snow Shoe.

Emily Slossom, Lizzie Bruggar, Birdie Stehley, Ada Peters and George B. Right, all of Unionville, enjoyed the hospitalities of the Mountain House one day last week.

Mrs. Harry Woods and daughter of Karthaus visited Snow Shoe last Tuesday.

Major Wolf of Philipsburg spent several days in Snow Shoe last week and lead the applause at the Jubilee concert.

Miss Smith and Miss Herkimer of Bellefonte, two handsome young ladies, are visiting Miss Stella Nolan at the Mountain House.

Mrs. G. W. Howell of Atchison, Kansas, who is summering at present at the Mountain House, was formerly a Miss Lipton, a neice of Mrs. E. A. Nolan, and not Miss Tipton as stated last week.

Mrs. Dixon, wife of Silas Dixon near Pine Glenn, died on Monday, July 23rd, and was buried on Thursday.

John Madill expects soon to commence shipping coal. The iron rails for the Fountain branch have arrived and a gang of men are busily at work laying the track, which will be completed in a few days.

Mrs. G. A. Ritter of Newberry, formerly a Miss Howard of Moshannon, is visiting her friends in Snow Shoe and vicinity.

Snow Shoe is becoming noted for its sporting proclivities. It now can boast of one base ball club, two foot ball teams and a champion bare back rider from Clarence.

An exciting game of foot ball was played on Saturday evening at Uzzle's farm, between Philipsburg and Snow Shoe which resulted in a score of 4 to 0 in favor of the Snow Shoe team. The ladies were admitted free and they appreciated the gallantry of the managers by turning out in full force.

Helping the Right Side.

To help the right side is not only commendable in a general point of view, but is judicious and prudent when that help is enlisted in behalf of the right side of the body, just over the lower ribs in the region of the liver. The most efficient help is afforded by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, an anti-bilious medicine of incomparable efficacy. Inaction of the liver is accompanied by consumption, sick-headache, furred tongue, nausea, occasional vertigo, an unpleasant breath, yellowness of the skin and ball of the eye. The author of these symptoms, liver complaint, routed by the Bitters is accompanied by them in its flight. Fever and ague, which always involves the liver, dyspepsia, rheumatism, debility and kidney troubles are all maladies to the early relief and final cure of which this standard medicine is adapted. Don't use it by fits and starts, but systematically, that its full effects may result in a perfect restoration of health.

—There are now 2,744 children in the Soldiers' Orphans' Schools of this State. The time for admitting new pupils has expired, and the number in the schools will consequently decrease each year until 1890, when the schools will be closed. Since 1864, when the system was established, there have been 14,810 admitted and educated at a cost of $8,604,427.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C.—Get a free trial bottle at W C Keplinger & Co's drug store.

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The agonies of those who suffer from severe salt rheum are indescribable. The cleansing, healing, purifying influences of Hood's Sarsaparilla are unequalled by any other medicine.

"I take pleasure in recommending Hood's Sarsaparilla, for it has done wonders for me. I had salt rheum very severely, affecting me over nearly my entire body. Only those who have suffered from this disease in its worst form can imagine the extent of my affliction. I tried many medicines, but failed to receive benefit until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla. Then the disease began to subside, the

Agonizing Itch and Pain

disappeared, and now I am entirely free from the disease. My blood seems to be thoroughly purified, and my general health is greatly benefited." LYMAN ALLEN, Sexton N. E. Church, North Chicago, Ill.

"My son had salt rheum on his hands and the calves of his legs, so bad that they would crack open and bleed. He took Hood's Sarsaparilla and is entirely cured." J. B. STANTON, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

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"I was seriously troubled with salt rheum for three years, and receiving no benefit from medical treatment I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I am now entirely cured of salt rheum; my weight has increased from 108 lbs. to 135." MRS. ALICE SMITH, Stamford, Conn.

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Hill's Album of Biography and Art, advertised in this paper, includes sketches of Religionists, history of denominations, distinguished warriors and many other things too numerous to mention.

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The "Dull Season" approaches. Extra inducements offered in fine Tailoring—Suits and Overcoats made to order from new Fall goods at very low prices.
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Miss Clara Shrom, one of Bellefonte's charming young ladies is visiting, relatives in Clearfield.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ASSEMBLY

We are authorized to announce that C T Fryberger, of Philipsburg borough, will be a candidate for the nomination for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, August 1, 1888.

Red Wheat, old, per bushel	$ 90
Red Wheat, new, per bushel	80
Mixed Wheat, old	85
Mixed Wheat, new, per bushel	75
Buckwheat, new, per bushel	40
Rye per bushel	56
Corn (shelled)	55
Corn (ears)	50
Oats	35
Barley	50
Cloverseed, fair to good	$4.00
do prime and extra prime	4.25
do choice	5 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	5.50
Flour, wholesale	4.80
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$8.00—$10.00
Nova Scotia Plaster	$9.00

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Provision Markets.

[Corrected weekly by Sourbeck & Co.]

Apples, dried, per pound	8
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	12½
Dried Currants, per pound	10
New Raisins, per pound	10
Beans, per quart	10
Fresh Butter, per pound	15
Cheese, per pound	16
Country Hams, per pound	12½
Hams, sugar cured	16
Shoulders	12
Breakfast Bacon	12½
Country Bacon	10
Lard, per pound	10
Eggs, per dozen	18
Potatoes, per bushel new	60
Dried Beef	20
Canned Beef, 2 pound can	25
Country Side, per pound	9
Canned Tomatoes, per can	12½—15
Canned Corn, per can	10—12½
Lemons, per dozen	30
Dried Sweet Corn, per pound	12
Apple Butter, per gallon	50
Roller Flour, per sack	$1.40
Apples, per bushel	60

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Court of Common Pleas, of Centre county, No. 116 August Term, 1886.

Fi. fac. No. 57, April 7, 1888.

FRICK COMPANY, vs. PHILIP S. DALE. } Exceptions filed to the confirmation of the Sheriff's deed.

The Auditors appointed to examine in the facts and make report at August Term, whether Christian Dale's executors, the purchasers at the Sheriff's Sale on the above writ are entitled to receipt for the purchase money as lien creditors of said defendent, or whether said purchase money is legally applicable to other liens against the said defendent; will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in Bellefonte on Tuesday, August 21, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m., when all claimants will present their claims before the auditor or be debarred from coming in on the fund

JOHN B. LINN, Auditor.

July 30, 1888.—20-31-3t.

BELLEFONTE

BOOK BINDERY

Having leased the Bindery from the *Centre Democrat*, I am now prepared to do all kinds of binding at short notice. Persons having magazines, old books, or anything in our line should give us a call. Blank books, and Hotel Registers done in the neatest style, and at lowest prices. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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The Lutheran Congregation.

A congregational meeting was held in Y M C A hall on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and measures were adopted looking to the future welfare of the Lutheran congregation of this place.

A resolution was adopted that the present church property be sold at once to the highest bidder. It was also determined to proceed to rebuild at once and with that object in view a committee of three was appointed to select a site for a new location, the committee to report to a congregational meeting to be held on Wednesday evening of this week.

The committee have three different sites in view, but have not completed arrangement for any one of them as yet. This movement of the congregation is very gratifying.

The adherents of the Lutheran faith are among the most numerous in Centre county. They should take pride in erecting a very fine church building here—equal to the best. Let them all contribute towards the erection of an elegant church edifice at the county capital.

Then the citizens, notwithstanding their religious preferences, can unite in subscribing towards a church building fund, as it will be to their interest to have a graceful and ornamental building erected at some prominent site to be chosen.

Out of Bed Early.

Rev. Dr. Talmage talks thus to children on the subject of early rising. Of course, all the youthful reader of this paper will appreciate it:

I wrote for a paper, some years ago, an article insisting that people stay in bed till they get rested, and that only those can be expected to rise early who go to bed early. Several parents tell me that since my article on that subject they have more trouble than ever in getting their boys up in the morning in time for breakfast. Boys, how can you do so? You ought to be spanked. You ought to get up when the rising-bell rings. Early worms, etc. You ought to do as your fathers and mothers did when they were boys and girls. Their parents never had any trouble with them. When, in the old farmhouse, your grandfather used to knock on the door of your prospective father, he, the last, your father in prospective, would, at the first tap on the door fling the bed covers against the wall, and give one leap into the middle of the floor, crying, "Yes, father, I am glad you called me so early." And your mother—that is your prospective mother—used to spurn the pillow at the first call of your grandmother, and cry out, "Only too glad to come, dear mother, at your first call. Do not trouble yourself to call again," and before the grandmother had got down stairs, your mother prospective was putting the back-comb through her coiled ringlets.

Murphy.

Francis Murphy is the most popular temperance speaker of the present day. The work done by him in this line has shown better and larger results than that by any other man. Whatever he does and whatever he says is worthy consideration and respect. We consider him more eloquent in his pleas for temperance than is Mr. Dwight L. Moody in his pleas for religion. Mr. Murphy in his temperance work has our most earnest wishes for the greatest success. We very much like the methods and the basis of operations which he adopts. He never indulges in wholesale condemnation of those who oppose him. He tells men that only with Divine aid can they keep their pledges, and he believes in appeals to the better natures of men rather than a resort to any compulsion.

In his speeches, we believe, he relates the story of his life and he can do this very affectingly.

—On Saturday this paper contained a reference to a vegetable garden. Now we must inform you about a beautiful fruit garden, but won't tell you the name of its owner. However, it verily exists and contains enough to cause those who see it to wonder how trees can be made to bear such rare and wonderful fruit. Most of the trees are of dwarf varieties. Among them are ten plum trees, which are hanging full of luscious plums, now turning to purple. The apricots look large and fine and are as large as an ordinary peach. Grapes—yes, there are ten different vines, each one bearing from fifty to one hundred clusters. They are of as many different varieties as there are vines. The pear trees are just drooping to the earth beneath their load of fruit. The branches seem to be transformed into solid clusters of fruit. Perhaps we haven't mentioned all we saw, but all we have described is there and is growing rapidly.

The Season for Meteors.

Mr. W. F. Denning, the English astronomer, reports in Nature that the multitudinous meteors known as the Perseids, which attain their maximum on August 10, have already commenced. On the 8th inst., at Bristol, twenty-five meteors were counted in four hours. These included six paths which devoted a well defined radiant a little south of Cassiopeia's Chair. They were presumably the advance of the great meteor stream will seem to bombard the earth next month from the constellation Perseus. Those who are fond of observing meteors need not wait till August 10. At the present date, as Mr. Denning says, the Aquarii, usually reappear in marked abundance, the meteors ascending from low in the southeast and the brighter ones throwing off trains of sparks.

More Grand Army Days.

There will be a number of reunions of Union Veterans, known as Grand Army days, daring the coming months in Eastern Pennsylvania. One will be held at Norristown, Saturday, September 29; Bradford county, at Athens, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, August 22, 23 and 24; Snyder, Juniata and adjoining counties, at Lewistown, August 22, 23 and 24; Central Pennsylvania at Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Thursday, September 6th; Northwestern Pennsylvania, at Bradford, McKean county, August 22d; Allegheny and adjoining counties at Pittsburg, Wednesday, September 26th. There will be no Grand Army Day in Philadelphia this year, as it was thought the veterans would prefer to take an outing and attend the reunion at Norristown or Bloomsburg.

—In these Summer days in which these cool spells alternate with sudden and prostraiting heat it behooves all our citizens to have a care of their diet and habit of life generally. Reasonable prudence in this respect will result in benefit and enable one to pass through the trying season now upon us with the minimum of danger from illness and will fortify the system against sunstroke and kindred results of hot waves.

-An exchange informs us that a Kansas school ma'am rewards her pupils by letting the boy who chances to spell correctly a word a girl has missed, kiss the fair misser. This may encourage the art of spelling, but it will have an opposite effect on the girls. Francis Speer expects to spend a few weeks in that Kansas school room.

The Verdict Unanimous.

W. D. Sult, Drugrist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of rheumatism of six years' standing." Abraham Hare, druggist, Belleville, O., affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 20 years' experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousands of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters do cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar a bottle at W C Keplinger & Co's drug store.

HON. WM. MCKINLEY, of Ohio, has been made a LL. D. He should have the degree "C. T."—tariff champion.

Dr. Theel, the great Specialist, for nervous debility, blood poisons, kidney and special diseases, has yet to find an equal in curing such diseases. He has complete mastery of the allopathic, homœopathic and eclectic systems of medicines which gives him the knowledge and ability to cure diseases pronounced incurable by leading physicians. If suffering we would advise you to consult him personally or by letter, at 538 North Fourth St., Philadelphia, Pa.

—Mamma: "Harry, what have you been doing to the poor dog? He's been howling dreadfully." Harry: "Well, he knocked over your vase, and I spoke to him, and I guess his feeling were hurt." Mamma: "Nonsense! Dogs can't understand what you say." Harry: "Oh, yes, they can when—you kick 'em."

The Population of Bellefonte

Is about 5,000, and we should say at least one half are troubled with some affection of the Throat and Lungs, as those complaints are according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial size free. Sold by all druggist.

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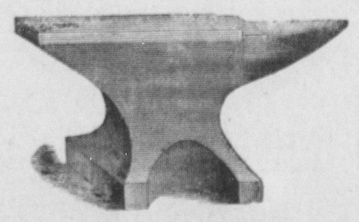

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Sheriff's Sales.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county and to me directed, will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, in the borough of Bellefonte, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25TH, 1888,

at 1.30 o'clock p. m., the following property, to wit:

—NO. 1.—

All the defendants right, title and interest in and to all that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Marion township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north, south and east by McHenry Heirs and Bradley, and on the west by McHenry Heirs, containing about 8 acres more or less, thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, summer house, stable and other out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of John Delany, Jr.

—NO 2.—

All that certain messuage, tenement or piece of land situate in Haines township, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a stone in Pine Creek, thence along land of Adam Winklebleck, south 2° W, 23 6-16 perches to middle of Public Road, thence in said Road and land of Granter, south 78° W, 28 perches to middle of said Road, thence same N, 16° E, 20 perches to post in old dam, thence same and up Pine Creek N, 67° E, 23 perches to the place of beginning, containing 2 acres 150 perches neat measure, thereon erected a two story frame house log barn, smith shop, saw mill, &c.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of W. H. Cassler.

—NO. 3.—

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Potter township, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone corner on the line of Geo. Boal, thence by the same south 66° west, 75 7-10 perches to a pitch pine, thence by lands of Geo. Grassman, south 23½° east, 152 perches to a post, thence by land of John Lee, north 69¼°, east 42 5-10 perches to stones, thence by same south 23 ½° east, 37 perches to stones, thence by lands of John K. Runkle, north 59°, east 49 4-10 perches to stones, thence by same N, 23½°, W, 35 perches to stones, thence by the same south 63° west, 15 8-10 perches to stones, thence by the same north 23½°, west 151 perches to the place of beginning, containing 78 acres and 122 perches and allowence of 6° for roads &c., thereon erected a 2½ story frame dwelling house, good barn and other out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Elizabeth Keller, Admx of, &c., of Samuel Keller, deceased.

—NO. 4.—

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the Township of Snow Shoe, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a post on the public road, thence along said road and lands sold to Mary J. Hugg, north 8¾° east, 12 perches to a post, thence south 78° east, 43 perches to a post, thence S. 3¾°, W, 13 perches to a post on public road, thence along said public road N, 69½°, W, 24½ perches to a post, thence N, 86¼°, W, 19 perches to the place of beginning, containing 2 acres 140 perches, thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, tenant house, wood and coal shed

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of A. D. Rhue.

—NO. 5.—

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Borough of Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., known and designated on the general plan or plot of said Borough as lot No. 130 bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at the south east corner of lot of Martin Stone, in the general plan of said Borough, thence southwardly along the western side of Spring street, 55 feet to an aller, thence westwardly along said alley by a line running at right angles with Spring street 260 feet or thereabouts to the bank of Spring St., thence along land of Wm. A. Thomas and W. F. Reynolds, northwardly 55 feet to the south western corner of Martin Stones lot, thence by the southern line of Martin Stones lot to place of beginning, thereon erected a two story double dwelling house, stable, pig pen and smoke house.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of W. S. Tripple.

—NO. 6.—

All the defendants interest in and to all that certain messuage or tract of land situate in Huston township, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post, (originally walnut), thence by land of C. Beckwith Esq., north 30°, west 90 3-10 perches to post in centre of ditch between the Tyrone and Lock Haven Railroad and Bald Eagle Plank Road, thence along said ditch south 60½°, west 163½ perches to post in centre of aforesaid ditch, thence by lands of John W. Richards the same being originally part and parcel of the herein described and conveyed messuage, &c., &c., south 29°, east 30½ perches to post, thence down Bald Eagle Creek north 72°, east 134 perches to post, thence along the same north 47° east, 35 perches to post (originally walnut) to place of be inning, containing 36 acres and 74 perches and allowance of six per cent. etc., etc., thereon erected 2 dwelling houses, bank barn, wagon shed, one flour mill, corn crib, 2 wood sheds, ice house, 1 stable, 1 smoke house, water and steam power.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Geo. W. Woodring.

—NO. 7 —

All that certain piece or plot of ground situate in the borough of Philipsburg, Centre Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of Sixth and Spruce streets; thence south along Sixth street, 130 feet more or less, to lot of Victor Reinod; thence east along line of said lot 114 feet to a ten foot alley; thence north along said alley 130 feet to Spruce street; thence west along Spruce street 114 feet to the place of beginning. Being known as the Carpenter property. Having thereon one large two story frame dwelling house, situate on the corner of Sixth and Spruce streets, with barn or stable and other necessary outbuildings.

—NO. 8.—

Also all that certain messuage or lot of ground situate in the borough of Philipsburg, Centre Co., Pa., being on the corner of Fifth and Spruce streets, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the corner of said street, thence at right angles, southeast 165 feet; thence at right angles, southwest 120 feet to Fifth street; thence along Fifth street, northwest 165 feet to the place of beginning. Being the southern half of lots No. 192 and 193, and the southwestern quarter of lot No. 194 in the general plan or plot of said borough. Thereon erected two frame dwelling houses two stories high and facing on Fifth street, one two story dwelling house on the corner of Fifth and Spruce streets, one large two and one half story building facing on Spruce streets, built for a hotel, with good barns and other out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John G. Love.

—NO. 9.—

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate on the east side of the north fork of Marsh Creek, in Curtin township, Centre Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning on a bridge, crossing said north fork of Marsh Creek; thence north 66° east 12 3-10 perches to a public road; thence along said road south 67½° east 34 perches, south 78½° east 17 3-10 perches, south 58° east 24 3-16 perches, north 72° east 25 2-10 perches to a post; thence by land of John P. Dehaas 4½° west 132 perches to stones; thence by part of John Brady north 89½° west 70 perches to stones; thence by land of John Mann south 20½° west 80 perches to a pointer; thence north 70° west 30 perches to stones; thence north 35½° west 81 perches to stones; thence south 57½° west 47 perches to the said north fork of Marsh Creek; thence down the middle of the said creek, the several courses and distances thereof, to the place of beginning, containing 86 acres, 107 perches and allowance of 6 per cent. for roads, &c., thereon erected one two story frame dwelling house, 1 log house, 1 barn and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Wm. Mann.

—NO. 10.—

All the defendants right, title and interest in all that certain messuage, tenement or tract of land situate in Liberty township, Centre Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north by lands of Christian Holter; on the west by land of Jno. D. Thompson; on the south by lands of Levi Sullenberger; on the east by lands of Andrew Boas. Containing 100 acres more or less, thereon erected one two story frame dwelling house, one large barn, wagon shed, wood house, and hog pen. Also,

—NO. 11.—

All that certain messuage or tract of land situate in Liberty township, Centre Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north by lands of Henry Thompson; on the west by main road leading from Howard to Marsh Creek; on the south by land of Jacob Holter's heirs; on the east by lands of Christian Holter. Containing 40 acres more or less. Also,

—NO. 12.—

All that certain messuage or tract of land situate in Liberty township, Centre Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: On the west by land of Christian Holter; on the south by land of Andrew Boas; on the east by lands of Thomas Butler; on the north by land of Christian Holter. Containing 40 acres more or less.

—NO. 13.—

All that certain messuage or tract of land situate in Liberty township, Centre Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows to wit: On the north by lands of Curtins'; on the west by lands of Henry Thompson; on the south by lands of Christian Holter; and on the east by land of Curtins'. Containing 4 acres more or less, thereon erected one bank barn.

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ROBERT COOKE, JR.,
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COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas, the Hon. A. O. Furst, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th judicial district, consisting of the Counties of Centre and Huntingdon and the Hon. Chester Munson and the Hon. Daniel Rhoads, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 28th day of July., A. D. 1888, to me directed, for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre, and to commence on the fourth Monday of August, being the 27th day of August, 1888, and to continue two weeks, notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the fourth Monday, the 27th day of August, 1888, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

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There can be no harmony among men, as long as there is injustice practiced against the weak. The sick sow contempt among the poor, and reap a crop of curses. There is a gulf between them which human charity can never span; which aristocratic pride refuses to cross, and even the religion of Jesus Christ fails to bring the classes closer together.

Religion is running into idolatry, and men are halting between two opinions—hypocrisy, or infidelity. The pretended christianity of to-day consists of fine churches to please the eye, flowery preachers to please the ear, fashionable clothing to please the world, and only hollow, pharisaical prayers to please God. God never intended that the wealth of the world should be monopolized by a favored class, while the poor and weak should labor for a bare existence, and be despised on account of their humble birth. The Bible says: "God so loved the world" (not a favored class) "that He gave his only begotten Son." Christ was born in a stable, made His home with a laborer, associated with humble fishermen, and in death left no earthly possession behind.

How many modern Christians can escape the Lord's accusation?—"I was hungered, and you gave me no meat; I was thirsty and you gave me no drink; I was a stranger, and you took me not in; naked, and you clothed me not; sick, and in prison, and you visited me not." You hypocrites and bloated aristocrats, how can you face God, in the presence of the poor, whom you despised? How can you ask for eternal happiness in the presence of those whom you wronged—in the presence of those whom Christ commanded you to feed and clothe, and, instead, you robbed and condemned to a life of drudgery and pinching poverty?

A religion that does not make a man better, and fill his heart with love for the lowly, is no religion at all. Your fine churches and flowery prayers and sanctimon are are an insult to the most high God, while you countenance the human hells of artistocratic creation.

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There is no common sense, no charity, and no true religion in the man whose only object is to struggle for wealth. He becomes blinded to all that is good and beautiful, all that is noble and generous; is envious of his neighbor, suspicious of his best friend, and a brute towards the poor who labor for him.

And in such a condition we find the christianized world to-day. Every man, woman, and child in the mad race for wealth. The strong tyranizing over the weak; the shrewd taking advantage of those who are slow of mind; the rogue and the Christian entering into partnership to wheedle the unfortunate, and only their fine and costly churches standing between them and the wrath of an insulted God.

There is something better than man. The worlds that revolve and move through space in perfect harmony, declare that the universe is controlled by a just hand. It is only among men that we find injustice—all elsewhere we find harmony, and harmony is the best evidence of Justice. I am world-sick and weary of man, disgusted with his hollow profession of religion, but the harmony of this mighty universe assures me that all but man is just; and whether I go back to the earth and lose my individuality forever, or rise again to inhabit a better world, I must be contented to let the future reveal. If I am skeptical of the things handed down to me by the men of old, it is because I know that the men of to-day are natural hypocrites, and I know not whom to trust. If the men who profess to believe in the inspiration of the Scriptures, make only a hollow pretense to obey its laws, will God damn me for doubting its origin? There is no philosophy that can tell me wither I am going, and the Christian world does not act as though the Bible must be obeyed. I am sick of the world and the hollow mockery of Christian aristocracy. Those who despise the lowly, must certainly be an insult to Him that was born in a stable. If there is no pride in religion, then there is mighty little religion in the world; for there are churches in which the poor man is not welcome.

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BALD-HEADED WOMEN.

THERE ARE MORE OF THEM THAN THE CARNAL OBSERVER WOULD IMAGINE.

An innocent young fellow came in yesterday and asked me why women are never bald-headed. I at first wondered where he had lived all his days, and then considering that he was not in the trade and didn't know the schemes that women have, I pitied him. The fact is, there are mere bald-headed women than there are men with shiny pates. Especially is this the case with the higher classes of society. The richer the food the poorer the sustenance given the egg of the hair. It receives more external care, to be sure, and that partially makes up for it, but you would be surprised to be behind the scenes and see a woman, prominent in the best society, and who the night before bore her head, adorned with a luxuriant mass of "womans glory," proudly aloft—you would be surprised to see her in here with not a hair on her head, bowing the polished cranium meekly before the brush of one of my maids, while the latter arranged the V-shaped bangs (which are all the rage now, everything in hair-dressing tending to a point) or the Grecian knot (the style for full dress) so artistically as to deceive even her own husband.

What a sensation these maids of mine could create could they reach the husbands of many of the society women in St. Louis. Many a man is happy in the possession of a wife with what he thinks an original head of hair. One well-known woman residing in the West End came in the other day and said her husband was prone to pull her hair, and wanted to know if her chignon could be made proof against this danger. We fixed it on with paste, and though she says they have had some regular hair-pulling matches since, her locks have held out. He thinks he is torturing her, but he is only drawing on his pocket-book to pay for rearranging it. Women who use hair restoratives do not get bald. But if your intend getting a society girl for a wife fasten her hair in a bush unknown to her and then surprise her into starting suddenly. If her waterfall doesn't give way you are pretty safe, though that is not absolute proof. Why are women not bald-headed? Poor innocence!

THE DEAR GIRLS.

He—Isn't Mrs. Maydupp's black hair pretty?

She—I don't think it half as becoming as her light brown.

She—Sir! what do you mean by putting your arm around my waist?

He—Do you object?

She—Mr. Arthur Gordon I'll give you just five hours to remove your arm.

Captain Stern (of the militia)—Laura, I love you.

Laura—Captain, I can't believe it.

Captain—Silence, Laura! No insubordination. Remember that I am to be your superior officer.

A very busy Chicago banker was to be married to an Omaha girl, and the day fixed was July 20, at high noon. The day came, but the groom did not materialize, and at 9 a. m. this telegram was received: For heaven's sake tell us what is the matter. This is your wedding day, and the hour approaches. He was scared half out of his wits, and bounced around like a hen with her head cut off. Then he rushed to the telegraph office and sent this answer: Thought I had three days of grace. Don't let it go to protest. Coming on on the next train." The wedding was late, but it was a merry one, and all was forgiven.

As Miss Katie, who lives on South Side, came down to breakfast the other morning looking a trifle pale but very happy, her mother, looking sternly toward the daughter, cleared her throat and remarked in a serious tone of voice:

"My dear, Elmer stayed much later than usual last night, did he not?"

"Oh, no, mother.

"Be careful my child, I am quite sure of it."

"No, indeed, mother; he didn't stay at all late. Why, what makes you think he did?"

"Because, I happened to be awake when he was going out, and I heard him whisper to you at the door, "Just one!"

A Rival to the United States.

The Argentine Republic thinks it is setting up as a rival to the United States, and it bids fair to succeed. It has a "surplus of the revenue." During 1887 it built 5,000 miles of railway, and its immigration bids fair to reach 200,000 this year, or about one-third as many as land in our territory. They have down there 3,009 public schools and 230,000 pupils. This is a better showing for a South American republic than many would be likely to think. They are usually considered almost out of the world down there, but the people are evidently taking some points from this country and improving rapidly.

Fifteen acres of a Canadian farm have sunk 40 feet. Let this be a warning to all farmers who put in heavy crops.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—Good weather for picnics.

—Tennis is popular in Bellefonte.

—In Tyrone the dogs are muzzled.

—Private picnics are quite numerous.

—One hundred and fifty Bellefonters attended Millheim's centennial.

—Adam Forepaugh's great show is expected to visit Bellefonte in September or October.

—The first building erected in Millheim was a mill which was built in 1786 by Philip Gunkle.

—Watermelons, pears, peaches, canteleups and dozens of other toothsome fruits fill the stalls.

—Another great trip to the sea shore is planned for Thursday, August 9, at the usual cheap rates.

—The circus on Thursday was not considered very excellent—not equal to the 10 cent show of last season.

—The Lewisburg *News*, heretofore an independent paper, is supporting Harrison and protection this year.

—Adjutant General Hastings sent twenty, fifty calibre, muskets to Millheim to use in celebrating the centennial.

—J. S. Emerick, of Wolf's Store, is temporarily disabled with a sprained ankle, which happed while he was leaping over a fence.

—The reason Mr. Lew Erhard did not go to the Millheim Centennial is because he loaned all his clothes to other people who went to it.

—Rattle snakes do not seem to be numerous yet this season, but William Kreamer, of Rebersburg, killed a large one the other day in the public road.

—The Hope base ball club of Philipsburg is crowing like a bantam rooster because it beat the Clearfield club at base ball. The club should meet the Fleming nine of this place.

—On Sunday, the 22d instant, Mr. Theodore Hosterman made himself very happy by marrying Miss Jennie Stover, both parties being residents of Woodward, this county.

—"Get the *Reporter* for the campaign" cries out the Centre *Reporter*. Yes, if you do it will give you not only a *calm* pain, but also many others of a more agonizing character.

—There was a wedding at State College on Thursday, Prof. Reber, of that institution, marrying Miss Jackson, daughter of Prof. Jackson. Guests were present from Bellefonte and other places.

—The rate on butter and eggs from Chicago to New York was reduced this week to 50 cents per 100 pounds. This is an additional reduction of 5 cents, the original cut having been from 65 to 55 cents.

—There must be a very wicked "fiddler" (violinist) over at Centre Hall, judging by the way the Centre *Reporter* criticises his performances, even accusing him of playing on a hard cider organ.

—Mrs. Hannah C. Royer, wife of Geo. E. Royer, has been missing from her home near Millheim since July 16. She is of medium hight, weighs 150 pounds, has sandy hair of a reddish hue and gray eyes.

—Louis Lurge, a man who looks like an Anarchist and who carries with him so many chisels, keys, etc., that he is thought to be a burglar, arrived in Altoona the other day and the police took him in charge.

—W. E. Confer, Howard's popular barber, has embarked in the confectionery business and is carrying a full stock in that line. Mr. Confer is a pleasant and active business man and is bound to succeed.

—Mr. Benjamin Fink, of Hare's Valley, Huntingdon county, who has been ill for some time, died on Sunday morning, July 22, aged 71 years. His remains were interred in the cemetery at Cornelius chapel on Monday.

—"The chapel was crowded almost to suffocation," is the *Centre Democrat's* reference to the attendance at the jubilee concert. Be truthful, young man; there were plenty of vacant seats and suffocation was scarcely possible.

—An attempt was recently made to burn the saw-mill of L. G. Cornelius, near Shade Gap, Huntingdon county. This time not so successfully as the previous attempt. The fire was discovered before it had done much damage.

—Sneak thieves despoiled the house of Dr. J. M. Gemmill, at Alexandria, Huntingdon county, of three-fourths of its crockery, dishes, etc., during his absence in Philadelphia. Miss Maria M. Young, of the same place, had a similar experience.

—The committee to locate a hospital for this bituminous coal district met again on Wednesday—this time in Jersey Shore, adjourning on Thursday to Lock Haven. They may visit DuBois and Wellsboro before deciding upon the location.

—On Tuesday night the residences of E. A. Tennis and Mrs. McAllister, in Thompsontown, Juniata county, were entered and robbed, the former of a gold watch and chain and about $180 in money, and from the latter house two watches—one gold and the other silver—and $15 in cash were taken.

CUPID'S CAPERS.

A Very Brilliant Wedding Event in Benner Township.

One of the most enjoyable occasions of this season was the marriage of Miss Etta, daughter of Mr. H. K. Hoy, of Benner township, this county, to Mr. Austin Shuey, on Thursday evening, the 26th instant.

A very large number of guests were present to witness the ceremony and take part in the pleasures of the occasion. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. W. H. H. Snyder, pastor of the Reformed church of this place, in the very impressive manner characteristic of that gentleman.

The wedding was rendered unique in the fact that the ceremony was performed outdoors in front of the house in the beautiful yard of the old homestead. This was especially pleasant because of the large number present and its novelty was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Shuey, a brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Miss Kate, the pretty sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid. After the ceremony was over and a shower of congratulations had been lavished upon the happy couple, the guests were invited inside to partake of the repast prepared for the occasion, which in quantity and quality proved a feast fit for the gods.

After the feast had been duly enjoyed the bride and groom started away, amid a shower of rice and old shoes, and the evening train bore them upon what will be quite an extended wedding trip.

Their friends, who are legion, unite in wishing them much happiness, and join in the hope that Mr. and Mrs. Shuey may live long to enjoy many anniversaries of this delightful occasion.

The Natural Gas Supply.

An expert on the subject gives his opinion as follows:

"Within two years at the furthest coal lands will be selling for what they were considered worth before natural gas was thought of. This will be due largely to the failure of the gas fields to supply the demands made upon them. Gas, like oil, will in time exhaust itself. New fields may be opened, but taking all in all I think the outlook for coal was never so bright since natural gas came in use.

"It is not published, but all the large gas fields are playing out. Murraysville has seen its best days, and all the wells in the Beaver and Ohio valleys are going. The prospects for fields large enough to take their place in the case of total failure are not bright by any means. The big natural gas companies recognize this as a fact, and are expending thousands of dollars on a process for making fuel gas. This is significant. In my opinion two years will see an end to natural gas as a fuel."

A Railroad Through Bear Meadows.

The Linden Hall correspondent of the *Centre Reporter* says that Meek & Nogle, an extensive lumbering firm of Schuylkill Haven, has bought of McKee Bros., of this place, 5,500 acres of valuable timber land known as the Bear Meadows, and have commenced operations. They propose to build a narrow guage railroad from this point to Tressler's Gap, and from that point to the meadows will build a tram road. Their large mill will be situated directly in the gap. They have received right of way of Tressler, McFarlane, Grove, Gingerich and Wieland, through whose land they pass with little trouble, agreeing to pay the above parties reasonably for all damage they may sustain. Grading to the end of the proposed road is already commenced, and if lumber is not put on the free list the work will go prosperously on. The firm believe it will take about eight years to clean up the job, and expect to ship two thousand car loads of prop timber and eight million feet of sawed lumber.

A Serious Accident at Mount Union.

Special to the Altoona Tribune.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., July 25.—Mrs. Alexander Mills, of this place, was seriously if not fatally injured in a runaway accident this afternoon a short distance below Mount Union. Mrs. Mills and two little children were visiting friends at Orbisonia and on their return home in a buggy the horse took fright at an exhaust pipe at Ewing's steam saw mill, below Mount Union, and becoming unmanageable threw the occupants of the buggy out upon the road. Mrs. Mills, who had the reins wrapped around her hands, was dragged a considerable distance. Her left arm was broken and she was injured internally. She has had several hemorrhages this afternoon. Her little children fortunately escaped serious injury.

—If the Signal Service is to retain its popularity, it must constantly progress, and it is not too much to say that within the last year or two no special progress has been noticeable. To merely hold its own, and deliver judgments which sometimes prove right and sometimes prove wrong, is to fall below what the American people believe they have a right to demand of this important branch of the public service. We are well aware that the work is carried on under unfortunate limitations as to the area of the earth's surface from which regular daily reports are received, but, even after conceding this, it seems to us that more could be achieved by well directed scientific research than is now secured, for, apparently, we have at present many facts from which those who possess them have not yet been able to deduce their true meaning and effect.

—A telegram from Curwensville says that at an early hour on Sunday morning last fire broke out in the large three-story dwelling and store room of John Irwin & Bros., on Main street, and notwithstanding the earnest efforts of the fire boys to stay the work of the flames, the building was reduced to ashes in short order. Three adjoining dwellings, on Locust street, immediatly around the corner, belonging to the same persons, were also destroyed before the fire could be extinguished. Dr. Harry Eckbert and family, who occupied the first building referred to, barely escaped with their lives, and lost a good portion of their furniture. The store room, fortunately, was vacant. The loss to Irwin & Bros., will foot up nearly $15,000, on which there is partial insurance.

—At Elizabethville, this State, just after Arbor Day, two trees were planted, one being named "Blaine" and the other "Cleveland," the impression being that these would be the two candidates. At first the Blaine tree shot ahead, but now the Cleveland tree is far in advance and flourishing, while the Blaine tree don't seem able to keep up with the procession at all.—Lock Haven *Democrat*.

Well, you poor little innocent, that's just the way it is. Now, if you had only sent word to those Elizabethvillians to name one tree Harrison, it would have been a "giant oak" by this time, while Cleveland's tree would be only a stunted scrub. Next time you invent a comparison try to make it fit the circumstances.

—The annual picnic of the Methodist congregation will be held on Thursday, the 2d day of August, in Sellers grove, about eight miles from Bellefonte on the Buffalo Run railroad. The price for the round trip excursion will be 15 cents, and the public are cordially invited. It be the first large picnic of the season and picnic lovers will quite generally take advantage of the opportunity to accompany the Methodist excursion. To avoid the rush at the train, tickets can be procured at any time of John I. Olewine, in James Harris & Co's hardware store, or of H. H. Schroyer at his carpet store.

—Among the gentlemen who accompanied Mr. Keplinger, Mr. John Moore and other Bellefonters on their recent trip to Howard for bass were Dr. P. S. Fisher and Mr. Jacob Stein, of Zion. They are expert fishers and expected to beat the record in the fishing line. They were successful in doing so, as towards evening the Doctor and his friend succeeded in catching a bass which weighed 3¾ pounds. In addition to this fine specimen they also caught a large number of suckers. What kind of bait did you use, Doctor?

Fate of a Base Ball Player.

While a game of base ball was in progress in Dallas, Texas, a few days ago, a player, in attempting to steal second base, disappeared from sight as suddenly as if the earth had swallowed him up. He had broken through the ground into an old well, the existence of which had been forgotten, and was rescued standing up to his neck in icy water.

Re-Union.

The regimental association of the Bucktails, or 1st Rifle regiment, P. R. C. which met in Williamsport last year will meet this year at Bradford, McKean Co., Pa., on Wednesday and Thursday, September 26th and 27th. Special hotel and railroad rates will be given. Those intending to be present at the re-union will address W. Harry Rauch, Secretary, 713 Girard Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

Life of Levi P. Morton.

George Alfred Townsend is to write the life of Levi P. Morton for campaign purposes. Whether Mr. Morton be elected or not, he will have the satisfaction of knowing he has a biography well written. Mr. Townsend never fails to entertain. His pen is one of the most skillful in the country.

—Richard, the little two-year-old son of George Kanauff, who resides near Blue Ball, says the Philipsburg *Journal*, very narrowly escaped with his life on Tuesday. He by some means got possession of some berries of the "Deadly Night Shade" and ate them. Dr. Bigelow, of Philipsburg, was called and his skill cured the boy.

Accidents.

Wm. Smith, of Howard, whilst helping to take in a load of hay, had the misfortune to have the load upset and fall on him injuring him seriously.

Willie Tipple, whilst at work in Shutt's saw mill, was so unfortunate as to have two of his fingers badly cut by coming in contact with a circular saw.

—Mr. Archie C. Hutchison of Warriorsmark cut a walnut tree and had a bookcase made of it by F. D. Deyer & Co., of Tyrone. This tree his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hutchison, planted sixty-five years ago. Mrs. Hutchison is living and well. She is 88 years of age. She is now on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Samuel T. Gray, in this county.

—"It is quite long, but we think it covers the ground," is the comment of the *Democrat* on the borough ordinance. That word "but" is out of place there, young man, as a thing that is long naturally covers the ground because of its length.

The Pestiferous Fly.

One of the visitors of summer which interfere with the complete enjoyment of the season is the pestiferous fly. It has uses, but, oh, what a number of disuses! With proper management houses can be kept almost free from its presence and thus humanity be made much more comfortable.

Perfect cleanliness is the principle requisite. Flies are naturally attracted to where they can find the choicest picking and with no particles scaattered around they will soon become hungry and go elsewhere. Water attracts them and it is said that if all vessels of water are covered over, so that the fly cannot obtain a drink, it will leave that place inside of twenty-four hours. Of course, if sugar, molasses, honey, cake or other sweets are exposed to the air the flies will cluster around them. Dishes containing all such articles should be carefully closed.

An excellent way to expel the fly is to keep the house comparatively dark during the summer days and open as much as possible at night. Flies seek the light. It is an admirable plan to open the house from end to end at night and permit the breeze to sweep through it. This cools the house and drives out the the flies. We know of people who remain up after their regular bedtime solely with this object.

Thus, with proper management a house can be kept comparatively free from flies even without mosquito bars in the windows and doors.

About Birds.

A gentleman residing on Linn street makes an interesting report to us on the subject of our birds. The blackbird, which usually finds its roost in the glens along our mountains, has this season, in considerable numbers, sought large trees on Linn street and with their coming that little nuisance, the sparrow, has almost disappeared.

He reports also that but few of the Baltimore orioles and blue jay have visited us this season, and no martins or red-headed woodpeckers. Only thre pair of Baltimore orioles were observed to breed in our town this season—one on a tree in the grounds of Mr. Frank McCoy, one pair on a large tree on the opposite side of the stream, and one pair on a large tree near the residence of Mr. Edward C. Humes.

The robins, which have their breeding grounds hereabouts, have with, the exceptions of a few older ones no longer able to fly such a distance, taken their young and gone for the season farther north. They will stop with us again in their migrations south on the approach of winter, but then without a note of music to cheer and delight us.

We would be glad to hear from any other citizens their observations on our birds.

Celebrating His Seventh Birthday.

On Tuesday, July 24th, Frankie Graham, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Benner Graham, was seven years old. The occasion was made notable by a party given in Frank's honor which drew together a large assemblage of children. They had a very pleasant time and presented numerous appropriate and handsome presents to Master Frank. The refreshments were of the choicest description. Nothing more lively and animated than this gathering could be imagined. Frank is a more than ordinarily bright lad, winning the the attention and admiration of all his friends by his pleasing and attractive ways as well as by his appearance. His long flaxen curls hang around a face as bright and innocent as a sunbeam, reminding one of Michael Angelo's angels. May Frank and indeed all this company of children, enjoy many such gatherings and may their future lives be as excellent as their present lives are fraught with joy.

They Say it was only a Joke.

The following, which we clip from the Philadelphia *Record*, seems to prove that when free trade journals are detected in a slander they attempt the weak defense of making it appear that they meant it only as a joke:

"Colonel James Milliken, of Centre county, a valued friend of the editor of the *Record*, writes to complain of a statement which appeared in the news columns of this journal on July 21, declaring that he had written a letter to the Republican State Convention asking it to indorse him as a candipate for the Vice Presidency. The story, which Colonel Milliken denies, no doubt originated in the brain of some practical joker, who could hardly expect it to be believed. We regret that it found its way into the *Record*."

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post-office at Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa, July 23, 1888:

C F Berwind, John Gorman, Jacob Houser, Wm Holderman, Laura Iddings, Harris Long, Miss Ellie Miller, James O'Connell, Miss Lizzie Reamer, Miss Mary Sholver.

Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.

JAMES H. DOBBINS, P. M.

—Not one drunken man in Millheim during the celebration, for which the Court can be thanked for taking away the license. But the real credit belongs to the W. C. T. U. which agitated the temperance sentiment so strongly throughout the county. The W. C. T. U. having done such a great work, why is it now so seldom heard from? Several months have passed since we have heard from it through any agency except the ever useful coffee cart.

The Rich Man's Cow.

To the Editor of the Daily News:

I wish to inquire through the columns of your paper, whether the borough can be made responsible for the damage done to our property by that unmitigated nuisance, cows running at large? We are reqnired by the authorities to keep our boardwalks in repair, but on Thursday night, during the hours in which the brilliant ordinance of councils require the cows to be shut up, my board walk and garden fences were broken and my shrubbery devastated by that besom of destruction—the wandering cow. Bellefonte, in spite of all her boasting, can never lay claim to be anything but a petty village until her law makers have back-bone enough to abate this insufferable nuisance. I have heard a great deal of talk about the *poor man's cow*, and have taken considerable pains to investigate the ownership of the animals which support life by browsing on our trees and shrubbery, and the list of names of prominent bankers, lawyers and merchants would revolutionize the generally received idea of the poor cow owners of the town; and when one can stand at their own gate and count a herd of thirty cows, trampling over their pavements it is enough to cause even the most patient and long suffering person to cry out against the outrage.

SUFFERING TAXPAYER.

—A student of Wooster University, Mr. C. D. Todd, has won the prize offered by to Protective Tariff League of New York to be given to the college student submitting the best essay on "The Necessity of a Protective Tariff." The contest was open to all college students of the United States, and was participated in by many of the energetic young men of our land. Mr. Todd won first place and secured the prize of two hundred and fifty dollars. Though the victory is exclusively Mr. Todd's, a share of the glory will fall to Wooster University. This success can not help but prove a paying advertisement for the University. Wooster students have repeatedly succeeded in the State Oratorical Contests, and have several times ranked high in Inter-State Contests.

Congressman McKinley's Wife.

Congressman McKinley, of Ohio, is married to a niece of Mr. Wm. A. Saxton, of Huntingdon. Of their married life the Chicago *Tribune* says: "A rare and lovely type of mutual devotion exists between Representative McKinley and his wife. They had one child, a girl, who died. Since then Mrs. McKinley's health has failed completely, and her husband has to nurse her constantly. This he does with the tenderest care and the most unselfish solicitude. In the winter they live at a quiet hotel at Washington, Mr. McKinley giving his wife all the time he can snatch from his duties, and in the summer they go back to her old home in Canton, Ohio."

—The great stone arch bridge of the Pennsylvania railroad company over the Conemaugh river, a short distance west of the Johnstown passenger station, being now completed, the work of laying track upon it is in progress. This will be completed by Sunday next, with the exception of the connections at either end. These will be made on Sunday morning, and on that day it is expected trains will begin crossing the new structure. The old iron bridge will shortly be taken down and removed, but whither it will be taken is a point concerning which no information has been obtained.—Johnstown *Tribune*.

—General Benjamin Harrison, the Republican nominee for President, has accepted an invitation to be present at the tri-State Grangers picnic at Williams Grove, beginning August 27. Col. R. H. Thomas, of Mechanicsburg, the manager of the picnic, accompanied by numerour prominent members of the Grange, will go to the General's home and escort him to the picnic ground. The presence of the next President of the United States will add to the attendance at the picnic and we have no doubt that many Bellefonters will desire to go to see him, if for no other purpose.

—The grain crops throughout Centre county are exceedingly large. This is surprising, especially so far as wheat is concerned, after the discouraging experience of the past several years. In consequence of past faliures a smaller average of wheat than usual was sowed this season, which somewhat decreases the aggregate crop.

—Tramps must work. So says the court of Cumberland to the sheriff who presented a bill of $7,000 for keeping tramps in the county jail. The tramp law of 1876 provides that the sheriff must provide work for these people when they fall under his jurisdiction. This law the sheriff neglected to enforce.

—Mr. Jacob Rapp, an aged gentleman living near this place, died on Thursday morning. He was very well known and his death will be greatly mourned. He leaves a wife and three children. A daughter is the wife of Mr. A. J. Brown, and his son is Jacob Rapp, Jr., an engineer on the railroad.

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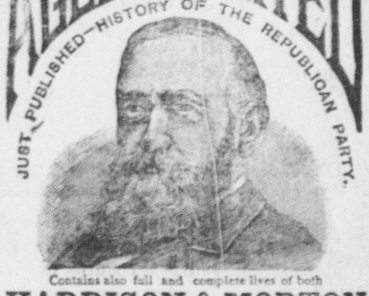

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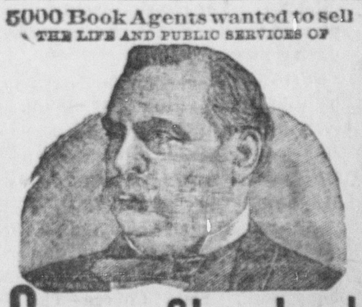

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EDWARD T. TUTEN, - - Editor

Local Department.

Campaign REPUBLICAN only 25 cents.

—The music of the band on Saturday evening was excellent.

The REPUBLICAN for the campaign, nearly five months for 25 cents.

—A meeting of the Republican county committee was held here on Tuesday.

—The electric belt man continues his orations and entertainments on Diamond Square.

—Four neat houses owned by Judge Rhoads, on Lamb street, are being repainted.

—The Republican county convention will be held in this place on Tuesday, August 28.

Twenty-five cents gets the REPUBLICAN for the campaign. See grand offer on another page.

—A scarf pin was found and left at this office on Tuesday. The owner can have it by calling.

—Again on Saturday evening the electric lights burned very uncertainly. What is the matter?

—The all-day drill and the Saturday evening festival held by Company B, N. G. Pa., were successful.

—Painters are at work to-day putting a bright red application to the exterior of the REPUBLICAN office.

—Do not relax the precautions instituted to rid Bellefonte of incendiaries and all other evil-dispored individuals.

—Newton Hetrick, of Henderson township, Huntingdon county, was thrown from a horse recently and severely injured.

—The New York base ball nine now ties Detroit for the first place. Hurrah, for the Giants! They have always been our favorites.

—Adjutant General Hastings has made arrangements to pay the members of the National Guard as soon as the several encampments are ended.

—Mrs. Long, of Spruce Creek, attempted to throw her little babe from the bridge over the Juniata river at Barree, Thursday, but was frustrated by another woman.

—A charter was granted last week, at the State Department, to the "Citizens' Building and Loan Association," of Osceola Mills. The capital stock is $20,000.

—Samuel Ludwig, of the firm of John Ludwig & Sons, has purchased in Elk, McKean and Jefferson counties over 20,000 pounds of wool for their factory in Ebensburg.

—Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D., was the leader of the Y. M. C. A. services on Sunday afternoon. The attendance was comparatively large and the meeting very interesting.

—Dr. W. P. McNite, of Shirleysburg, Huntingdon county, who had been stricken with paralysis last Saturday morning, died yesterday morning, aged 56 years. He was an ardent democrat.

—The Cleveland Democrats are wearing a campaign badge in the form of a horse shoe. It is very appropriate. It is emblematical of where Cleveland will be in the race in November—at the foot.

—Cards are out for the marriage of Miss K. Frank Tipton, of Howard, and Edward C. McEntire, of Tuscumbia, Missouri. The pleasing event will take place at the home of the bride on Thursday evening, August 2d.

—The next game of base ball that is played by the lawyers C. M. Bower, E. M. Blanchard and H. H. Harshberger must be in the field. They were spectators on Monday and were very anxious to get a chance at the ball.

—The weather and crop reports from various sections of this county include the following: Philipsburg—All crops doing well. State College—The fair weather has greatly benefited the corn crop and the ripening oats.

—Lewis Peters, while essaying to jump from a moving train on the Mifflin and Centre railroad, in the vicinity of Yeagertown, the other day, succeeded so well as to bring his head in contact with a stone, fracturing his skull.

—A change goes into effect on the Buffalo Run railroad, and on and after August 1 (yesterday) all trains will leave the Pennsylvania station here. The trains will leave at 6.00 a. m. and 3.30 p. m., and arrive at 9.10 a. m. and 6.20 p. m.

—Mr. Guyer Mattern is quite largely engaged in shipping sand used for building purposes, a sample of which we saw in front of the site for Mr. Crider's new building a few days ago. It is an unusually excellent quality and the demand for it is increasing.

—The lot on which the Lutheran church building recently stood is a very desirable one and is for sale. It has a frontage on High street, opposite the park, of 80 feet. It extends back, including pavement, 154 feet, and three sides border on streets, the alley in the rear to be soon changed into a street. The price is not high and the location would be fine for any purpose.

ON THE DIAMOND.

The Business Men Knock out the Lawyers to the Tune of 20 to 12.

A very enjoyable game of ball took place on the meadow at the glass works on Monday afternoon, the game being called at 4 o'clock. We believe the manufacturers and business men were the challenging party, and the lawyers were their opponents. For the names of the players consult the score given here:

LAWYERS.

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Will Keller, 1b						1	
Linn McGinley, c					1	1	
J M Dale, s s					1		
Jas Hamill, p		1		1	1		
Foreman, l f				1			
W Singer, 3b							
Jas Noll, r f						1	
W F Reeder 2d			1			1	
J Kline, c f					1		
Total		1	1	2	4	4	—12

BUSINESS MEN.

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	
McKnight, c		1	1			1	
Graham 2b		1			1		
Green, 3b		1				1	
Cattell, p		2			1	1	
Brouse, 1b		1				1	
Harris, r f		1				1	
DeWitt, l f				1			
Hughes, s s		1				1	
Lingle, c f		1				1	
Total		9	1	1	2	7	—20

A large audience of spectators, among them a few ladies, enjoyed the game. D. S. Keller, Esq., was an admirable umpire and Walter Lembkey scorer. The interest began with the first inning, when nothing but goose eggs rewarded the faithful players who so vigorously and vainly pounded the vapor. Both of the pitchers were effective. Hamill's balls being especially swift, so that he could sing:

Oh, a cold water pitcher am I,
I am cute and cunning and sly,
I cost them $10,000 to buy,
But cold water pitchers come high.

He was also equally effective at the bat, and in batting as well as running the bases some of the players exhibited surprising skill. For instance there was Howard Lingle, who has not played for years past, but

When the willow wand he waves
The fielders like dead men fall,
And they hire a train and start out west
On the trail of the flying ball.

Will Keller on first base did some very fine playing. He gathered in all the balls as they came near him and made the batters wish they hadn't started to run at all. Both of the catchers seized on to the foul tips with an easy grace that indicated they are professionals. Bobby McKnight's skill in this respect is well known. One of the features of the game, we think, was John Kline's base running. When he started he usually refused to stop until he was all the way around. Brouse played with that care which always distinguishes his handling of the ball, never making an error. Hard P. Harris manifested a disposition to push air, but at last he paralyzed the ball and sent it out of sight. When at the bat J. M. Dale was perfectly at home and one of his sky scrapers was the best of the occasion. Reeder amused himself in trying to catch flies and at last succeeded in grand style. We could hear him humming:

Oh, I wish I was an angel,
On little wings to fly,
So I could scoop the leather,
When it scrapes against the sky.

We admired Mr. Graham's playing. He played for all there was in it and when he was at the bat there was a universal impression that he would either smash the ball or break the bat in the attempt. James Hughes, Dewitt, Harry Green, Will Singer and James Noll were excellent. After the sixth inning and the business men had increased their score so largely the lawyers concluded to go home to supper so that they could hear Francis Murphy in the evening.

Give us another game and that soon.

TWENTY-FIVE CENTS GETS THE REPUBLICAN FOR THE CAMPAIGN. SEE GRAND OFFER ON ANOTHER PAGE.

Harvest Home Picnic.

Saturday last, July 28, was the day of a most successful and enjoyable harvest home picnic in Sugar grove, near Martha Furnace. The affair was gotten up principally by that energetic and popular gentleman, Mr. W. S. Williams, and Mr. Stewart, an aged and well known gentleman, officiated as master of ceremonies. The citizens, old and young, of the surrounding neighborhood were present in full force, entering heartily into the pleasures of the day. The weather was all that could be expected. The dinner was greatly enjoyed, including in the bill-of-fare every picnic luxury.

After the repast was concluded Clement Dale, Esq., of this place, addressed the assembled picnicers, alluding to the pleasures incident to such an occasion, their object and the benefits which accrue from them.

Capt. Austin Curtin was the next speaker, and his feeling allusions to some who were present and others, well known, who have "gone before," who participated with him in the civil war, were very appropriate and interesting. The day in the woods was profitable to all.

Campaign REPUBLICAN only 25 cents.

—The Methodist picnic train on the Buffalo Run railroad will leave the Pennsylvania station here at 9.32 o'clock on Thursday morning of this week, August 2, and proceed to the picnic ground. Let everybody understand that they are specially invited. The fare will be 15 cents round trip to all, and all tickets must be procured before going to the train, at either Schroyer's or of John Olewine. The picnic ground is Seller's Woods, eight miles from town, on the Buffalo Run railroad. It is said to be a delightful place.

Francis Murphy in the Court House.

That peerless temperance orator, Mr. Francis Murphy, appeared in the Court House on Monday evening and was greeted by a passably fair audience. The choir for the occasion was unusually fine—Misses Twitmire, Lukenbach, Bradley and Pifer, Mrs. Magee and Mrs. Blair, and Messrs. Swalley, Weaver, Barnhart and Lukenbach. Rev. Dr. Monroe was the chairman of the meeting and offered prayer. Mr. Murphy read from the 15th chapter of St. John. The choir sang from the Moody and Sankey collection and Rev. Dr. Monroe introduced Mr. Morgan, who is the District Chief Templar of the Independent Order of Good Templars. He explained the object and told the history of the order which he represents, answering objections which are urged against it.

Dr. Monroe then introduced the orator, prefacing his introduction with a statement that he fully endorses the Good Templar Order and also that it would be unnecessary to explain his attitude on the temperance question as every one knows it.

Mr. Murphy spoke in highly eulogistic terms of Bellefonte and her people. He was glad to be here again. He referred to Governors Curtin and Beaver and the proud part they have taken in public affairs. Then he paid a tribute to Good Templarism and said that his speech would not touch on politics, with which he has nothing to do, his object being to save men. He stands for buttermilk and lemonade. Indeed, he does, and he asked that his attitude in that respect be not misrepresented. Even Christ was accused for what he said on the Sabbath day. He requested that he be not considered a barbarian for what he said on this subject. Then he made a plea in behalf of working people who are thirsty on the Sabbath day, there being 50,000 of them in Pittsburg and Allegheny.

In speaking of strong drink he said he don't know when it was first used, but believes its use represents sin. We cannot legislate it out of existence. The devil will not go out of the country because he is voted out. Let us maintain the law we have. The judge who gave the verdict must be sustained. If temperance people do their duty they will support those who administer the laws. The laws we have are a great blessing. If you see a mad dog and cannot shoot him it is better to chain him then to let him go free. In Pittsburg the number of licenses has been reduced from 2900 to 250 and in many parts of the city a great improvement has been the result. The time, he predicts, will come when men will be more anxious to save their fellow men than to engage in politics.

He gave good advice to young men, asking them not to handicap themselves with debts—to deny themselves of luxuries.

Parents he advised to be less austere and to be more gentle with their children. He related instances to show the benefit of this.

Campaign REPUBLICAN only 25 cents.

A Big String of Rattles.

While surveying on the Allegheny Mountain near Bear Creek last week, Judge Eldred and his son, County Surveyor E. J. Eldred, came upon a remarkable curiosity in the snake line. It was a rattlesnake that sported forty-five rattles, the string measuring eight inches and a half in length. The reptile was killed by Daniel and Harvey Elder, chain bearers. The remarkable curiosity was on exhibition at the County Surveyor's office Saturday. Judge Eldred, who has killed hundreds of snakes, says he never saw one before with more than twenty-two rattles.—*Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin.*

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The Way they Do in Delaware County.

They were in the parlor occupying but a single chair and with but a single thought. They had discussed the weather, the tariff, the Irish question and Chinese emigration, when suddenly there was a silence. "Dearest," he said, when again the silence was broken, "do you think I am making any progress in our courtship?" "My evening star," she replied, "I think you are holding your own."

Re-union of the 137th.

The re-union of the 137th regiment, P. V., will take place at Lock Haven about the 25th of August. Mayor Barker, of that city, is making elaborate arrangements. The last re-union took place in in Butler, Pa. The exact date of this year's meeting will he announced in the future. Those interested in the proceedings and desiring to attend should communicate with Mayor Barker, Lock Haven, Pa.

—He: "Alice, will you make me happy by granting me the favor of one little kiss—only one?" Alice: "No, Charley, I have gone out of the retail business, and am in the wholesale trade exclusively. You will be under the necessity of taking all or none."

A FATAL FALL.

RESULTS IN THE DEATH OF WILLIAM MASTERSON OF GATESBURG.

Picnics, Industries and Other Events at that Place.

GATESBURG, July 30, 1888.

On Monday, the 23d of July, William Masterson, while helping Jacob Krider to haul in grain, at the latter's place near Gatesburg, met with a very sad accident, which proved fatal on the following Saturday, the 28th. While he was up in the mow of the barn, placing grain, he took a fit to which he was subject, and fell sixteen feet to the barn floor. His injuries were so severe that his death took place on Saturday.

On Sunday the funeral services occurred and were conducted by Rev. Mr. Warner, the Lutheran minister at this place, the deceased having been a member of this church.

William Masterson was 36 years, 11 months and 12 days of age. He leaves a wife and daughter to mourn his death. He was a Christian man and while the friends and the community lose much by his removal it is gain to him.

There will be preaching service in the Lutheran church next Sunday at half-past 2 o'clock p. m., Sunday-school at 1 o'clock.

The picnic which was hinted at in your paper two weeks ago has at length been definitely decided on and it will be not only a picnic, but also a festival. It will be held on Saturday, August 11. All the necessary refreshments will be provided to render the festival attractive, the proceeds of their sale to be devoted to the Sunday-school at this place.

A BOOM FOR GATESBURG.

Despite the fact that the Democrats are tumbling over each other in their efforts to ruin the country, R. B. Wigton & Sons have decided to do what they can to keep up their end of it and on last Wednesday, July 25, started to wash ore again. The new gigs do their work well and the ore looks first class. When the long whistle blew last Tuesday to let the men know that everything was ready it at once infused new life into this town. We hope for Wigton & Sons success, for they have laid out a large sum of money here. They have as fine equipment of engines and machinery as you can find anywhere in the country. Their well is 320 feet deep and the pump has an 8-inch working barrel with an 8-foot stroke and throws 3,000 barrels of water in five hours, which gives them all the water they need. At some future time I will give you a full description of the plant and how it is managed.

A new post-office has been granted to this place and its name will be Gatesburg. Mr. William Musser will be the postmaster and will be a good one for he is a Republican from the word go.

The potatoes will be a fine crop unless something very unexpected should happen.

Encouraged by a successful crop of grain, the farmers are now busy plowing and are preparing for the fall sowing.

SUMMER.

Resolutions Passed by the Logan Hose Company.

At a meeting of Logan Hose Company held on Monday evening, the following resolutions were adopted.

Resolved, That in the visit of the Logan Hose Company, of Bellefonte, to Sunbury, on the 4th of July, 1888, the kindness and courtesy manifested to the members of Logan Hose Company, calls from them this expression of their high appreciation of the fraternal feeling which prompted the unreserved and generous hospitality of the Fire Department of the city of Sunbury, as well as of the citizens of Sunbury in general.

Resolved, That the entertainment furnished by the Washington Steam Fire Engine Company, of Sunbury, during our stay in their city, so complete in its arrangements and which contributed so largely to our enjoyment, renders the Logan Hose Company, of Bellefonte, under lasting obligations to the members of that company, and they shall gladly avail themselves of the earliest opportunity to return the compliment.

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to Edward S. Young, Wm. H. Hein and Mr. Drumheller, proprietor of the City Hotel, for special attention shown us during our visit, and that we hereby assure them they shall ever have prominent place among the incidents and recollections of that occasion.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the newspapers of Bellefonte, and a copy of the same be mailed to each of the fire companies, of Sunbury.

JAMES SEIBERT,
H. D. YERGER,
WM. HILLIBISH,
MITCHELL CUNNINGHAM,
FRANK WESTCOTT, } Committee.

Mr. D. Bates Bell, for a long time the trusted bookkeeper at the Phœnix planing mill, has severed his connection with that institution and on Saturday went to Unionville. He will tarry a few days there and will then go to DuBois, where, we hear, he expects to engage in the insurance business. Mr. Bell is the kind of a young man whom it is a misfortune for any community to lose. He is possessed of an upright, consistent, Christian character, is efficient and trustworthy, and an acquisition to the social, mental and business standing of any community. We have the utmost confidence that he will prosper wherever he goes.

Personal Pencilings.

Campaign REPUBLICAN only 25 cents.

Mrs. Nolan, of Washington, D. C., is visiting, relatives here.

Miss Lizzie Brown, of this place is visiting, friends in Tyrone.

The family of Mr. S. M. Bell are at Wayne Station Camp Meeting.

The REPUBLICAN for the campaign, nearly five months for 25 cents.

Prof. J. M. Furey went to Lock Haven this morning to remain a few days.

Mrs. H. C. Brew, and her son, Austin, of Tyrone, are now visiting friends here.

ReubenCrone, of Unionville, this county, has been granted an increase of pension.

Mrs. Boal is the guest of her son, Mr. Hamill Boal, on Lamb street in this place.

Miss Jennie Lukenbach, after a pleasant visit in Curwensville, came home on Saturday.

Miss Minnie Hoy, a Bellefonte young lady, is the guest of Miss Kline in Aaronsburg.

Messrs. John Moore, John Wagner and Mr. Mckee spent part of Tuesday fishing for bass.

Twenty-five cents gets the REPUBLICAN for the campaign. See grand offer on another page.

Mrs. William High, of Buffalo Run, visited Bellefonte on Monday to make summer purchases.

Miss Lily Barrett, of the Telephone Exchange, continues to occupy her rural home a short distance from this place.

Miss Carrie Gray, one of Tyrone's beautiful and popular young ladies, is visiting Miss Stella Armor in this place.

Hon. John B. Linn and wife are entertaining as guests Mrs. Dr. John S Angle and Miss Maggie Harbaugh, of Chester City.

Street Commissioner Shaughensey was at work on Friday afternoon grading Spring street at its intersection with Linn street.

Miss Amanda Tome, of Jersey Shore, was an arrival in town Wednesday evening. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. G. Bush.

Mr. James Mitchell and his daughter, Miss Olive, came home Monday morning from Pine Grove Mills, where they spent several weeks.

Mr. Will Hendrixson, of Philadelphia, who was formerly in A. C. Moyer & Bro.'s store in this place, is at present visiting here, to remain about a week.

Mr. W. B. Dix, of Dayton, Ohio, in the course of his travels, pays numerous pleasant visits here where Mrs. Dix and Miss D. are spending the summer.

Hon. Samuel Reynolds, of Lancaster, and his son, Samuel Reynolds, Jr., joined Mrs. Reynolds and daughters in this place on Saturday, spending the Sabbath here.

Mrs. Dr. Malin, of Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, accompanied her sister, Miss Amanda Tome, of Jersey Shore, to this place, on Wednesday, and will remain several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Leathers have been visiting in Williamsport, from whence Mr. Leathers returned on Wednesday, leaving Mrs. L. to continue her visit in that city.

Mr. Charles H. McClure, son of Mr. Harvey McClure, of this place, who has been in the West such a long time, is now located at San Luis Ray, San Diego county, California.

Governor Beaver and General Hastings, after honoring Camp Slemmer with their presence, during the early part of this week, are now at Camp Sheridan, Mount Gretna.

Miss Leninger, of Williamsport, who has been a guest at the residence of Mr. Bauer, departed Monday morning and was accompanied as far as Milesburg by a lively company of young people who returned on the next train.

Mr. T. F. Chambers, of Washington, D. C., who is a member of the Junior class of Princeton college and a classmate of Mr. Will Furst, is a guest of the latter at the home of his father, Judge A. O. Furst, on Linn street.

Mr. A. J. Thompson, of Stormstown, was a caller at the office of this paper on Friday. Mr. Thompson is one of the most pleasant and entertaining gentlemen in Centre county and we trust that he will call whenever he comes to town.

Mr. William Brown and Mr. William Henry, both of Philipsburg, were arrivals in town last Monday and we understand they will locate here. In that event they will take instruments in the Bellefonte band as both of them are expert musicians and will be desirable additions to Bellefonte's dandy musical organization.

Mrs. Knowles of Richmond, Va., now the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. R. Teller, was so kind as to lend the additional charm of her very fine voice to the Episcopal choir on Sunday evening. She also sang a solo during the offertory. Her voice is a pure, rich contralto, sweet and powerful and possessing great depth of feeling and sentiment.

Marsh Creek Locals.

The quill is now in my hand with which to execute my intention of sending the news of Marsh Creek to your paper.

Thomas Poorman had his hand smashed some time ago, but the badly injured member is again recovering its normal condition.

The ice cream supper at William Yarnell's passed off very pleasantly and not one who was present can help saying that he had a good time.

On Sunday Thomas Malone was so unfortunate as to sprain his back. It is still quite lame, but we hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

The new post-office at this place is to be kept by Deymour Confer, assisted by Miss Malone. A good post-office is just what we have long needed.

There was quite a delightful social gathering at Mr. Henry Poorman's Wednesday evening last.

On Tuesday, the 17th instant, a large white dog, quite valuable, chased cattle belonging to Mr. D. B. Malone, which, at the time, were being driven along the public road by Mr. J. Eckley and Mr. Poorman. The latter had a gun on his shoulder and, firing at the dog, fatally wounded the fine animal. The dog was known by the name of "Nicey" and was owned by Mr. H. Heaton. Being a favorite of Mr. H's daughter, Miss Alice, she is indignant and sad at its loss.

The new township road up Laurel Run is about completed and was built principally by Boggs township. It will be very valuable to Mr. William Robb, the merchant at Romola, over which to haul his firkins of butter and many gross of eggs to Snow Shoe, which place offers the best market in Centre county. Mr. William Lucas, of the same place, will also find it of almost equal benefit.

SUBSCRIBER.

—If the cows are not kept off the streets before Spring we will have an opportunity then to vote on the question. We do not believe that many persons will vote for broken boardwalks, ruined shrubbery and a hundred other nuisances of which the highway cow is guilty.

—Father: "Well, Thomas, you have graduated from College and are now ready for your life work. What will be your field? Son (thoughtfully): "Well, to tell the truth, sir; it's a little hard to decide between left and centre."

A Good Campaign Song.

As sung by a local poet at Benore, this county:

A political battle is raging
O'er the length and the breath of our land;
'Tis the cry of free trade and protection,
While we in our eagerness stand
And list to that great wail of free trade
Borne from afar on the air,
Hatched on the shores of old England
And proclaimed by her hirelings here.

CHORUS.—Then vote for the soldier and statesman
For Harrison and Morton so true;
They will pilot the ship of protection,
Upholding the red, white and blue.

Oh, when will that merciful Ruler,
The God of the rich and the poor,
Relieve us of our great burdens
And drive the gaunt wolf from the door.
Will it be while this glorious Union,
Freed by our forefathers brave,
Is ruled by the English free trader
To disgrace their bones in the grave?

Will it be while we let them oppress us
With hardships we cannot endure,
By bringing forth foreign cheap commerce
To land every day on our shore—
To land on our shores unencumbered,
Free from protection's high aim,
To cripple domestic industries,
And increase the foreigners gain?

Will it be while the dear ones around us
Must silently suffer at home,
And piteously beg for assistance—
Aye, even a crust or a bone—
And will be compelled to refuse them?
But o'er them we bitterly weep,
For the sighs of our supperless children
Are heard as they moan in their sleep.

No, no, my dear friends; let us sever
The yoke of oppression to-day,
And unite as a band of bold, free men,
Presenting a gallant array.
Let us tear down that false, hollow platform,
For every plank is unsound,
And maintain our own superstructure
That is built on solid ground.

And within the rich soil that surrounds it
The seeds of protection we'll sow,
That will spring forth and ripen in season
To protect us from hunger and woe.
We will rear up a tree of protection
Whose branches will spread and expand
Till the fruit that it bears has been tested
By every freeman in the land.

We will follow the true course of justice
And choose for our missile of war
That powerful weapon, the ballot,
Whose force shall be felt near and far.
We will choose men of courage and wisdom,
Who forth to our councils will go,
And there legislate for the masses
And the false form of free trade o'erthrow.

T. R.

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MARRIED.

REBER—JACKSON.—On July 26, in the Presbyterian chapel, at State College, by Rev. Robert Hamill, D. D., Professor Louis E. Reber to Miss Helen, daughter of Prof. Jackson, all of State College.

HAINES-McKEON.—On Friday, July 27, at the Methodist parsonage in this place, Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D., officiating, Mr. Samuel D. Haines and Miss Dora Bell McKeon, both of Howard, this county.

ESENWINE—GUISEWITE.—On the 11th of July, at the Evangelical parsonage, Lock Haven, by Rev. P. C. Wildemeyer, Frank D. Esenwine, of Lock Haven, and Miss Emma L. Guisewite, of Woodward, Centre county.

MEYER—WETZLER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, July 25, 1888, by Rev. A. J. Furman, Mr. E. C. Meyer, of Snow Shoe, Pa., and Miss Alice Wetzler, of Milesburg, Pa.

WILHELM—CAMPBELL.—On the 21st of July, by Alderman Noble, of Lock Haven, John C. Wilhelm, of Rebersburg, this county, and Miss Mary Campbell, of Flemington, Clinton county.